WEATHER FORECASTS

Victoria and Vicinity—Light to moderate northerly winds; partly cloudy and mild.

Vancouver and Vicinity—Light to moderate westerly winds; cloudy and mild, with a few scattered showers.

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NEW JERSEY WATERFRONT FIRE COSTLY

Flames Sweep Through Two Grain Elevators, Warehouse and Piers

DAMAGE ESTIMATED AT MORE THAN $2,500,000

JERSEY CITY, N.J., May 31 (AP).—A spectacular fire that darkened the sky with smoke for miles around raged through the Erie Railroad yards tonight, destroyed two grain elevators, railroad equipment and merchandise, causing damage unofficially estimated in excess of $2,500,000.

United States coast guard headquarters at New York said that the blaze was brought under control at 8.02 p.m., more than four hours after it broke out.

A high official of the Erie, who declined to be quoted by name, said that a $2,000,000 estimate of damage to the elevators and grain would be "conservative," and indicated the total loss would exceed $2,500,000. At least two men were injured.

The blaze, the second within a week in Jersey City railroad yards and the municipality's biggest fire since 1917, came amid nation-wide precautionary measures to safeguard vital defense plants and terminals after reports were received of threatened sabotage during the long Memorial Day week-end.

FIRE AS DESTRUCTIVE

The fire destroyed the eight-story filled grain elevators, about twenty freight cars, many filled with general merchandise, at least four barges and 400 head of cattle in the Jersey City stockyards south of the rail terminal.

The coast guard said the fire was brought under control when it was confined to a section of the seven-story mid-Hudson warehouse. Police and railroad officials said the warehouse was filled with $25,000,000 worth of bonds, cocoaine, alcohol, crude rubber and pulpwood.

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PREPARING FOR DEFENCE NEEDS

Controls Placed on U.S. Use Of Copper—Petroleum Co-ordinator Named

WASHINGTON, May 31 (AP).—In new extensions of the defence effort, the United States Administration today placed strict controls on use of copper and established an office to see that needs of both the civilian population and the armed services for oil and gasoline are met.

In addition there were reports that some army pilots might be permitted to resign from the air corps if they wished to fight for China in her war with Japan. At the War Department, these reports met neither confirmation nor denial. Inquiries bringing only the reply, "no comment."

Bith another development concerning defence and the policy of aid to nations resisting "aggression" was a charge from Senator Byrd (Dem., Va.) that only "infinitesimal" amounts of war supplies had yet gone to Britain under the two months' old Lease-Lend Act. The Virginian called for a one-man head of defence production and action to halt strikes.

PETROLEUM CO-ORDINATOR

President Roosevelt gave power to Ickes the job of keeping gasoline needs met, appointing him "petroleum co-ordinator for national defence." He was directed to make recommendations for "action which is necessary or desirable."

Earlier this week, Ickes had suggested that "gasless Sundays" might be necessary to conserve fuel.

The gasoline problem is principally one of transportation. It arises from the fact that some tankers ordinarily used to carry oil from southern and southwest fields to the Eastern seaboard have been diverted to use of Britain.

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Armored Units Feature Recruiting Drive

Modern Mechanical Transport and Armored Vehicles Featured the Recruiting Parade Staged in the City Yesterday Afternoon by District Military Authorities, in an Effort to Attract Recruits to the Canadian Active Army. Picture Shows Two of the Modern-Type Field Guns, Drawn by Artillery Tractors, Proceeding Along Douglas Street Behind Man of the 5th (B.C.) Coast Brigade, R.C.A.

RUNNING AIR BATTLE GOES IN FAVOR OF FIGHTERS OF R.A.F.

War in Eastern Mediterranean Entering New Phase With Expected Expansion of Over-Water Air Combat—Enemy Retires With "All Possible Speed" on Meeting British

CAIRO, May 31 (CP).—The war in the Eastern Mediterranean sped toward a new phase today as Royal Air Force fighter planes downed two German Heinkel bombers and demaged many others in a running air battle.

There was little news of the fighting on the island of Crete, but an indication that the land battle there was continuing.

AIRDROME BOMBED

Besides telling of the air battle "somewhere over the Eastern Mediterranean," the R.A.F. communique said that the German-held airdrome and beach of Maleme, Crete, had been bombed Thursday night.

The communique stated "the enemy immediately took evasive action and retired with all possible speed" after two of their number had been shot down into the sea and others so badly damaged they probably did not get back to their bases.

It was believed the running air battle took place either between Crete and the British Island of Cyprus to the East.

An R.A.F. announcement that

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ARMY UNITS ON DISPLAY

Armored Vehicles Feature Downtown Recruiting Parade Yesterday

Emphasizing the national appeal for more recruits for the Canadian Active Army, local military units staged a recruiting parade through downtown streets yesterday afternoon, featured by a showing of the mechanized vehicles necessary to the fighting of modern war.

It was a martial parade mainly, comparatively few marching men taking part in the demonstration, and as a result the crowds lining the sidewalks looked on in silence most of the time, although obviously interested in the variety and type of mechanical equipment that now accompanies men to war.

Were the men on foot dint appear, however—battle-garbed troops of the 5th (B.C.) Coast Brigade, R.C.A., and the 2nd Battalion, Canadian Scottish—spectators applauded and voiced admiration at the steady and sturdy bearing of the local soldiers.

Trucks bearing slogans—"Enlist Now," "You Are Needed Now, Not

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NO REGISTRATION FOR AMERICANS

Will Be Longer Be Subject to Regulations for Aliens in Australia

SYDNEY, Australia, May 31 (AP).—American citizens no longer will be subjected to the restrictions of the Aliens' Registration Regulations, as a result of a Commonwealth Government decision.

The Australian-American re-operation movement, which has an influential membership in Sydney, took the matter up with Attorney-General Hughes, and through his intercession the Federal Cabinet decided that Americans as citizens of a friendly power now materially helping the British cause, should not be required to register, notify changes of address, or in any way comply with regulations applicable to aliens generally.

All Canadians On Zamzam Are Reported Safe

OTTAWA, May 31 (CP)—External Affairs Department here late tonight received a list of Canadian survivors of the torpedoed Zamzam who are safe at Bordeaux, France. The lists came from the United States Consul at Bordeaux and indicates that all the Canadian passengers on the ship, some fifteen, are safe. So far the Canadians are being held by the Germans and External Affairs Department does not know whether they will be released or interned.

CLOTHING TO BE RATIONED

Regulation in Britain Designed Only to Overcome Bad Distribution

LONDON, May 31 (CP).—When Britons return from their Whitsuntide holiday on Tuesday they will find almost all their clothing purchases rationed, the Board of Trade announced today.

The move is being made in an effort to overcome bad distribution of supplies due to population changes brought about by evacuation, to prevent hoarding and to place everyone on an equal footing, the board said.

Male and infant clothing are the only exemptions from the drastic new regulations. Each person is allowed sixty-six coupons yearly and a coupon is required for every clothing purchase regardless of its price.

MAY SHOP FOR HUSBAND

Coupons may not be exchanged, although it is permissible for a wife to shop for her husband if the use his ration book.

"There is no need to fear we will soon be reduced to wearing bedding suits" as official commenting in explaining the new set-up, which will require no reduction in the current volume of production. Coupons may be used at any shop.

As clothes ration cards are not yet ready, margarine coupons and food books will be used temporarily. Twenty of the cards in the planned ration book may not be used before next January 1 to spread out the demand.

ELECTED TO BOARD

VANCOUVER, May 31 (CP).—Lieut.-Colonel Col. A. W. McLeod and George Howland were chosen to comprise a three-man board completing elections to our members in the British Columbia Coast Vegetable Marketing Board here today.

W. Woodward To Be Named B.C. Governor

(Special to The Colonist)

OTTAWA, May 31.—The appointment of W. C. Woodward, of Vancouver, as the new Lieutenant-Governor of British Columbia is to be announced on Monday or Tuesday, high Government spokesmen said tonight.

The new appointee succeeds Hon. R. W. Hamber, who was named to the post in April, 1936.

Mr. Woodward is resigning a executive assistant to Munitions and Supply Minister Howe. He has been serving in Ottawa since shortly after the outbreak of the war as a "dollar-a-year" man and has declined to accept the per diem living allowances to which "dollar-a-year" men are entitled. Mr. Woodward is in Ottawa tonight.

ONLY THREE KNOWN SURVIVORS OF HDDD

LONDON, May 31 (CP).—British naval losses in the engagement which resulted in the sinking of the Nazi battleship Bismarck total twenty-five killed and thirteen wounded, in addition to the 1,200 or more who went down with the battle cruiser Hood, the Admiralty said tonight.

Only three of those aboard the Hood are known to have been saved. Dispatches from Reykjavik, Iceland where they were landed, identified these survivors as Middshipman Dundas, Bugalman Briggs and Seaman Tilburn.

Former British Envoy To Become Clergyman

LONDON, May 31 (CP).—Sir Charles Bentinck, former British Ambassador to Chile, will become a curate at Wittersham, Kent, on Trinity Sunday, June 8. He will be ordained by Rt. Rev. Christopher Chavasse, Bishop of Rochester.

Sir Charles will take charge of the vacant living of All Saints, West Farleigh, until he is made a priest at the end of the year, when he will be inducted as vicar of West Farleigh.

The retired diplomat is a Count of the Holy Roman Empire, and it will be the first time that an Anglican Bishop has ordained a person holding that heredity papal title.

Sir Charles last year retired from the diplomatic service, which he entered in 1904. He was successively Minister to Ethiopia, Peru, Bulgaria and Czecho-Slovakia before going to Santiago as Ambassador. He is now sixty-two.

Three Nazis Are Destroyed Over England

LONDON, Sunday, June 1 (AP).—Three Nazi planes were shot down over British land night, hurling raids on Liverpool's Merseyside, South Wales and England, the British reported today.

Some damage was done along the Merseyside and "there were a number of casualties, including some people killed" in that area, a communique said. The damage at other points was said to have been light and the number of casualties "very small."

Victory Loan Rally

ROYAL VICTORIA THEATRE
MONDAY, 8:15 P.M.

FEATURING: Miss Peggy Walton, soprano; Thomas Crabbe, baritone; R.C.A.F. and R.C.A. Bands; Scottish Pipe Band and Dancers; Girls' Drill Team.

SPEAKERS: Bruce Hutchison, Dr. Henrietta Anderson and Arthur Sullivan.

Chairman: J. W. Spencer

Flag-Raising Ceremony

Causeway, 12:30 Noon Monday

Mrs. Eric Hamber will unfurl Pledge Flag of Victory Loan drive. Premier T. D. Pattullo will give address. Very Rev. Spencer Elliott will lead in prayer. Guard of honour and band will be present. Male choir will lead in the singing. Herbert Anscomb, M.P.P., chairman.

British Forces Enter Bagdad and Peace Is Restored to Kingdom

German Airmen Flee From Country—Leaders of Rebel Movement Cross to Iran—Regent Returning to Capital and Constitutional Government To Be Re-Established Immediately

NEW YORK, June 1 (Sunday) (AP).—The British Broadcasting Corporation, in a broadcast heard today, said "An unofficial report from Bagdad that the Regent, Emir Abdul Ilah, is expected to arrive in the capital tomorrow," had been received. The Regent was forced to leave Iraq on April 4 when Rashid Ali al Gailani, now fled to Iran (Persia), seized control of the Government.

LONDON, May 31 (CP).—British Imperial advance forces entered Bagdad tonight as the Iraqi commander, General Mourad Mahmoud, and the mayor of the capital, Arshad el Umari, negotiated armistice terms with the British.

The B.B.C. broadcast a report the armistice became effective at 6 p.m. Saturday, that Bagdad was quiet and the blackout had been lifted. It said the mayor had invited Emir Abdul Ilah to set up a constitutional Government.

Meanwhile, German airmen who went to Iraq to bolster the Axis-inspired war against Great Britain, were reported fleeing the country following collapse of Iraq resistance.

"As between ourselves and the rebels, the whole thing is over," British authorities said.

The mayor, with a committee of four, sought to restore order in Bagdad and put down the wandering bands of looters, announced that the people desired Regent Emir Abdul Ilah to return and restore a constitutional government for the peace and independence of Iraq. The Emir was last reported in Iraq already following the British march on Bagdad, and may already have returned to the capital.

FLEES TO PERSIA

The pro-German Premier Rashid Ali al Gailani, who seized power from the Emir on April 4 and started fighting the British on May 2, had made good his flight to Iran (Persia).

He and a party of thirty crossed the border at Charil-i-Shirin yesterday. Among them was his chief of staff, Amin Zaki, the Italian Minister to Bagdad and his staff, that old fox of Bagdad, the former Grand Mufti of Jerusalem, Haj Amin Husseini, and Hitler's expert on Arabian affairs, Dr. Fritz Grobba.

Former German Minister to Iran

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From Europe Day by Day—

THE TIMES, London

News of Common Interest—International Events selected from The Times daily and published in The Daily Colonist by special arrangement with The Vancouver Daily Province.

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LONDON, May 31 (By Cable).—"The most astonishing and inspiring sight of the war," is how "The Times" describes its first operations in Crete, which it says have become more and more unpromising.

Both Greek and British troops have waged a tremendous struggle against a far numerically reinforced by fresh troops from mainland airfields. They have inflicted heavy losses against the heaviest odds and have had air support only from airdromes in the Western Desert, 400 miles away.

The Royal Air Force bombed German air fields in Greece whenever Nazi machines were concentrated there, but here again the absence of adequate fighter protection made such operations during daytime virtually suicidal.

The Germans are now spreading a contemptible lie that General Freyberg has left Crete, deserting his troops altogether.

Some Italians are arriving in the battle zone presumably for political effect. At least 12,000 Nazis have been killed or drowned in attempted landings, according to Greek dispatches, and probably in all 30,000 of the enemy have reached Crete since the fighting began.

Crete fishermen, forced at point of gun to man their caiques or fishing boats, deliberately ran their craft on rocks, spilling thousands of Germans into the water to drown.

Caetlans also have smashed up power plants and waterworks in the city, and done their utmost to prevent the enemy getting food.

There is the bitterest hate of the invader, for one reason, because a dark Greek division, wiped out in the battle for Greece, came from Crete.

Captured Nazis tell of terrible damage done to Berlin by Royal Air Force bombers. Kriti (Greek of the Hellenes) has collected all his Cabinet ministers and, now in British territory, is carrying on his government. The Germans get on Greek radio to-day, all of it having been sent to New York.

Weygand's troops in Morocco, although unarmed, kept the Libeen correspondent of The Times, are showing signs of a reviving spirit. Nothing is known of the Vichy alternative terms permit. The Bulletin's bodyguard, greatest than ever in history, is largely composed of Frenchmen, who hate the Germans and strengthen Vichy's hand enough men to constitute eight divisions. However military, tanks and aircraft, two German armored divisions could easily keep control of the protectorate.

If the French revolted they could hardly last more than three or four days. The Germans control the whole civil administration and their influence is supreme everywhere.

Six Drown When Boat Engine Fails

SAN LUIS OBISPO, Cal., May 31 (AP).—Six persons drowned today after a disabled motor boat overturned a mile off Morro Bay. Five others were saved.

The boat's carburetor fouled and caused the craft to drift helplessly heavy swell. The crew and passengers clung to it until the waves washed them off.

U.S. Makes Promise to Give Up Special Rights

WASHINGTON, May 31 (AP).—The United States promised today to "move rapidly" when peace is restored in China to give up certain old extraterritorial and other special rights there.

Secretary of State Hull at the same time served indirect notice on Japan that the United States will claim for itself the right of "equality of treatment and non-discrimination" in its trade with China.

Hull added pointedly, in a letter to Dr. Quo Tai-Chi, new Chinese Foreign Minister:

"The Government of the United States is dedicated to the support of the principles in which the people of this country believe . . . Without reservation, we are confident that the cause to which we are committed along with China and other countries—the cause of national security, of fair dealing among nations and of peace with justice—will prevail."

Comes Long Distance to Join Force

VANCOUVER, May 31 (CP).—A Mr Lipman, former chartered accountant on the staff of the British embassy in Rio de Janeiro, was to-day sworn in as the recruiting headquarters of the Royal Canadian Air Force after travelling 12,000 miles to join the service.

Mr. Lipman arrived here today enroute to Ottawa, adequately prepared with birth certificate and letters of recommendation, but was informed that he could enlist here and within thirty-six hours was on his way to a manning depot.

TAKING BACK INFORMATION

Winant to Act As Roosevelt's Messenger to Winston Churchill

WASHINGTON, May 31 (AP).—Informed Washington opinion is that Ambassador John G. Winant's hurried visit to this country is not so much for the purpose of bringing information to President Roosevelt, as of carrying highly important and secret information back to London.

The timing of his visit would suggest that such was the case. It followed immediately upon Mr Roosevelt's Tuesday night speech, an address which stated American policy toward Britain and the war in positive terms and spoke vigorously but enigmatically of new measures to be attempted upon the Atlantic.

At a press conference the next day, the Chief Executive made it more than clear that he considered his plans for assuring the safe delivery of American supplies to Britain a military secret of the most important character.

The next two days, it was said, Winant will spend compiling a report and "checking on certain information he must obtain from Washington." Then on Tuesday he is to see the President at the White House, when, according to the prevalent view, he will be given the information he is to take back to Winston Churchill.

MAKES MEXICAN POSITION CLEAR

President Declares American Nations Form Democratic Unit for Defence

MEXICO CITY, May 31 (AP).—President Manuel Avila Camacho, answering a question concerning Mexico's position should the United States declare war on the Axis dictatorships, said that the American nations form a "democratic unit," and if necessary Mexico "will take whatever measures are necessary to assure its security, a future of honor and independence."

In the most comprehensive statement he has yet made on foreign policy, the President declared in answer to the question asked by Vincente Lombardo Toledano, head of the Confederation of Latin-American Workers.

The consolidation of Mexico and the United States is not the result of a military alliance but of a regional understanding of a defence nature. Thus if the Government of the United States should declare war on any Asiatic or European power, this fact alone would not oblige Mexico to adopt, automatically, a like attitude.

"But it would be a mistake to think that in the present state of things the destiny of one of the American nations could remain isolated indefinitely from the destiny of the rest."

British Novelist Passes in London

LONDON, June 1 (Sunday) (AP).—Sir Hugh Walpole, British novelist, died today.

A prolific writer and author of a large number of well-known books, Sir Hugh was born in 1884. He served with the Russian Red Cross during the first two years of the Great War. He was awarded the C.B.E. in 1918 and was created a knight in 1937. He was not married.

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Sports things from Scurrahs have that indefinable note of being "Come Il Faut" that makes a lady proud to say where she bought them, even if the envious one hasn't already guessed. This week the Skirt Department is putting on airs, and no wonder. The new arrivals in imported fabrics are just devastating in their Plaids, Stripes, Pastels and brilliant color combinations. Prices are as low as $4.95, and some delightful Jasper Cloth Skirts in most attractive new shades are only $3.50. Dainty Combination Short Suits with separate skirt in white are priced only $8.95. There's an amazing display of soft Scotch and Canadian Wool Sweaters in all styles from $3.50 and beautifully-tailored Slacks from $5.95. And then the Sports Jackets, perhaps the most all round useful of all Summer garments. Soft Scottish and Irish Tweeds in Herringbone, Stripes. Summer shades of Rose and Blue, Plaids, Monotones. Mostly hip length, with prices starting at $9.75. Start at Scurrahs and you'll start in style.

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Sales Army Starts Campaign for Loan On Monday Morning

Victory Bond Quota for This Division Is Set at $5,400,000—J. W. Spencer, Chairman, Asks Public to Support Campaign

C[illegible] during the next three weeks, 120 citizen salesmen will be out with their kits promptly at 8 o'clock tomorrow morning preparing to put the Victory Loan drive over the top.

Inspired by the efforts put forth by J. W. Spencer, chairman of the Victoria Division, these canvassers are determined to reach their objective of $5,400,000 as quickly as possible and then to strive for one of the honor pennants to be awarded divisions exceeding their quotas.

LARGE DISTRICT

The Victoria Division includes the city proper, Oak Bay, Esquimalt, Saanich and Gulf Islands, and Duncan. Duncan includes the districts from the Malahat north to Chemainus. The Esquimalt Unit takes in Victoria West.

The quota of $5,400,000 allotted to this division from the $600,000,000 Canada is endeavoring to raise, has been divided among the various units as follows:

Victoria	$2,700,000
Saanich and Gulf Islands	1,000,000
Oak Bay	800,000
Duncan	600,000
Esquimalt	300,000

Each salesman has been provided with a sales kit which outlines Canada's war effort to date and shows her future needs. This kit also contains a supply of the prospectus, a copy of which already has been sent to every householder in Canada.

$50 to $5,000

The Victory Bonds have been put out in denominations ranging from $50 to $5,000. They may be bought outright or on the instalment plan. These bonds will yield 3.09 per cent and at maturity will be paid off at the rate of $101.

J. W. Spencer, in sending these citizen salesmen to their stations yesterday, appealed to citizens to support them in their task. Each canvasser will have to make 275 calls during the campaign, and Mr Spencer asked the public to exercise forbearance where duplication of effort occurs. He pointed out that some duplication could not be avoided.

Mr. Spencer said that there lies idle in the banks throughout Canada today $2,000,000,000. If citizens will invest in the security of Canada, their funds will be maintained intact, for on the success of this loan depends the success of Canada's contribution to the cause to which the Commonwealth of Nations and its Allies are dedicated.

GIVING TIME

Officials of the campaign point out that these men are giving freely of their time and that they are supported by a corps of volunteer workers which is endeavoring to arouse public interest in the Victory Loan through various publicity media to lighten the heavy task that salesmen have undertaken.

Officials state that all dinners and luncheons have been paid for by the volunteers themselves and that all advertising has been given. In every department of publicity and local endeavor, whenever possible, the work has been done gratis.

TO MARK PROGRESS

Thermometers showing the progress of the drive will be carried in both newspapers on the front page. A giant illuminated thermometer, twenty-two feet high, has been erected on the face of David Spencer's Limited on Douglas Street. At the corner of Yates and Douglas Streets, a large illuminated sign outlining the face of Prime Minister Churchill, together with a quotation from one of his famous utterances, will be installed. For the general information of the public the following calendar of events has been listed.

Monday, June 2—Flag raising ceremony at Causeway at 12.30 o'clock noon.

Monday, June 2—Patriotic rally at Royal Victoria Theatre at 8:15 p.m.

Wednesday, June 4 — Patriotic rally by Oak Bay Unit at the Oak Bay High School at 8:30 p.m.

Wednesday, June 4—Special Victory Loan show at Capitol Theatre, with public dignitaries present, at 8.30 p.m.

Saturday, June 7—Mass parade of armed forces and affiliated organizations at 2.30 p.m.

Tuesday, June 10—Public meeting sponsored by the Women's Canadian Club at the Empress Hotel at 2.45 p.m.

Wednesday, June 11—Display by Girls' Drill Team in front of Parliament Buildings at 3 p.m.

Saturday, June 14—Mass display by Youth Training Groups, preceded by a parade.

WATERFRONT FIRE IN NEW JERSEY COSTLY

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The coast guard said all but five of the boats which it sent to the fire were returning to their bases. The coast guard said its radio message indicated the barges and lighters, loaded with war materials in the area, had not been damaged, although some tugs had caught fire.

The general alarm fire summoned all Jersey City apparatus. The coast guard sent five tugs, two lighthouse tenders, two 125-foot patrol boats, one seventy-five-foot patrol boat, a picket boat and a speedboat. New York City dispatched marine fire-fighting equipment.

The fire sent huge clouds of black smoke billowing over the entire New York metropolitan area. The flames shot 400 feet into the night sky as they raced through the elevators. One of the elevators, owned by the Erie, was crammed with 1,000,000 bushels of grain. The other, operated by the Carscallen & Cassidy Grain Company, was filled with 50,000 bushels of feed.

Fire Captain Leo Duffy was treated for heat prostration and P C. Mannon, president of the grain company, received finger burns when he and Police Sergeant Mark Fallon ran into the company elevator and raced to the top floor to get company funds from a safe.

An estimated 75,000 spectators crowded thoroughfares and vantage points near the yards which cover a three-block area.

GERMAN ADMIRAL DEAD IN NORWAY

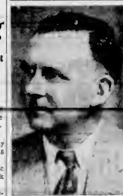
Friend of Hess Reported to Have Taken Own Life After Himmler's Visit

LONDON, May 31 (CP)—Norwegian sources in London said tonight a German Admiral Bohn, described as Nazi naval commander-in-chief in Norway and a friend of Rudolf Hess, recently committed suicide in Oslo after a visit from Gestapo Chief Henrich Himmler.

These officials said reliable information from Norway was to the effect that Bohn's friendship with Adolf Hitler's Deputy Fuehrer, who flew to Scotland May 10, figured in the admiral's talks with Himmler.

The suicide was said to have occurred in the Grand Hotel in Oslo, capital of German-occupied Norway.

To Direct Production Of "Hiawatha" Here



—Photo by Robert Fort.

STANLEY F. BULLEY

WELL-KNOWN Victoria choir conductor and organist, who with Phillip Hughes will lead the massed choir, including the Arion Club and the Victoria Choral and Orchestral Society, in a combined production of Samuel Coleridge Taylor's "Hiawatha's Wedding Feast" and "Hiawatha's Departure," which will be presented on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock at the Willows Sports Centre. The entire proceeds of the concert are in aid of the Red Cross. All the performers, choralists, instrumentalists and conductors are giving their services without remuneration.

Mrs. L. M. Dill Is Removed by Death

The death occurred on Friday at the Royal Jubilee Hospital of Mrs. Lucretia Maria Dill, aged seventy-two years, of 2331 Pacific Avenue. She was born in Nova Scotia and had been a resident of this city for the past thirty years. She was the widow of James P. Dill.

She leaves to mourn her loss five daughters, Mrs. P. D. Dutot, Victoria; Mrs. J. A. Walker, Long Beach, Cal.; Mrs. C. E. Coates, Vancouver; Miss Roberta, Cloverdale, B.C., and Miss Alice, Victoria; also two brothers, J. H. Davidson, Vancouver, and L. A. Davidson, Three Hills, Alta.; two sister, Mrs. H. T. Fisher, Three Hills, Alta., and Mrs. Robert Dill, Great Village, Nova Scotia.

Mrs. Dill was active in women's organizations of First United Church and was a member of Queens City Chapter, No. 3, O.E.S.

The funeral has been arranged to take place on Monday afternoon from McCall Brothers' Funeral Home, where Rev. Hugh McLeod will officiate at 3.45 o'clock. Interment will be made in the family plot in Royal Oak Burial Park.

Army Will Stage Signal Display in Beacon Hill Park

AT 2.30 this afternoon in Beacon Hill Park, a public demonstration of army field signalling will be staged by a detachment of the 11th Fortress Signal Company. It will centre round the flagstaff and citizens will be invited to speak over the field telephones and radiophones. Motorcycle dispatch riders will take people from station to station. Demonstrations of visual signalling will also take place. At the same time the band of the 5th (B.C.) Coast Brigade will present an hour's programme of music from the park bandstand.

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Tuna Fishing in Southern Waters Is Fizzling Out

SAN PEDRO, Calif., May 31 (AP)—Tuna fishing in the Gulf of California is fizzling out.

Three months ago, eighty purse seine boats, carrying 1,000 fishermen, sailed for the gulf, where fish were reported sighted in great schools. Half the boats have returned, only two with full loads.

The others are drifting back, hoping to catch bluefin offshore, but prospects are described as poor.

Despite last year's record tuna pack of more than 3,500,000 cases, stocks are practically exhausted.

Thirty million persons have come to the United States from foreign countries to make their homes since the Constitution was adopted in 1787.

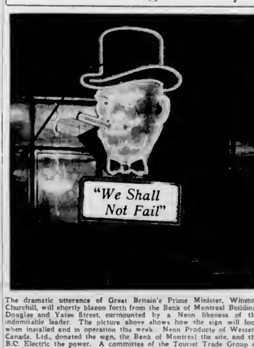
PLANT MANAGED BY ITALIAN BLOWN UP

FORT WILLIAM, May 31 (CP)—Damage estimated between $3,000 and $4,000 resulted yesterday when a terrific explosion blasted the Twin City Sash & Door Company plant here. The plant is managed by Emilio Marino, formerly Italian vice-consul here.

Police summoned to the scene discovered a planer had been blown to bits, while on another planer nearby lay twelve sticks of fused dynamite which had failed to explode. One wall of the building was blown out and the flooring in the upstairs section was blasted out.

The violence of the explosion awakened residents in the neighborhood of the plant. Police are investigating.

Will Erect Sign in City



The dramatic utterance of Great Britain's Prime Minister, Winston Churchill, will shortly blazon forth from the Bank of Montreal Building, Douglas and Yates Street, surmounted by a Neon likeness of the indomitable leader. The picture above shows how the sign will look when installed and in operation this week. Neon Products of Western Canada, Ltd., donated the sign, the Bank of Montreal the site, and the B.C. Electric the power. A committee of the Tourist Trade Group of the Chamber of Commerce, headed by W. C. Mearns, completed the plans for the sign.

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$100 on a '36 Singer Sedan	$ 50 on a '31 Chev Sedan	$100 on a '36 Terra Coupe
$110 on a '35 Nash Sedan	$100 on a '38 Olds Sedan	$ 70 on a '36 Ford Coupe
$100 on a '34 Buick Sedan	$ 80 on a '40 Chev Sedan	$ 50 on a '37 Dodge Coach
$100 on a '37 Ford De Luxe	$135 on a '38 Chrysler Royal	$ 55 on a '30 Chev Coach
$ 70 on a '35 Chev Sedan	$110 on a '38 Olds Coupe	$ 80 on a '39 Chev Coach
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Eden's Pledge to Back Syrian Independence Is Thought Significant

Policy Is Designed to Detach Arab Chiefs From Nazi Influence—Creation of Unity Among Arabians Expected to Be Difficult

By PERTINAX

WASHINGTON, May 31.—The pledge given by Anthony Eden, British Foreign Secretary, on behalf of the British Government, to support an independent Syria and a unified Arab world, is of great interest. It is clearly aimed at detaching the Arab sovereigns and chieftains from German influence.

The odds are that a Battle of Syria will follow speedily upon the Battle of Crete, Syria being the gateway to the oil fields of Iraq and Iran.

For more than twenty years the foes of England have fostered the Arab grievance that the latter had wilfully broken the promise given as early as 1916 by Colonel Lawrence to Emir Hussein and to his son, Feysal. Their revolt against the Turkish overlord was to be rewarded by the creation of an Arab kingdom as a part of the peace settlement. It was a fact that, almost at the same time, the British Cabinet of that period found itself compelled or had deemed it opportune to come to terms with the French about Syria and with the Zionist claimants about Palestine.

OLD TALKS RESUMED

Today, British policy partially shakes off that old shackle. Everything develops as though the talk of twenty-five years ago between Lawrence and Feysal had been resumed. The successors of Lawrence, of course, will attempt afresh to win their Arab interlocutors to the idea of the "Jewish national home" in return for the free gift of Syria. But whether such men as the exalted mufti of Jerusalem will be amenable to a compromise on that point remains to be seen.

It would be useless to expatiate upon the possibility of bringing the Arab world to unity. Most competent observers are not ready to regard it as a practical proposition. In the Islamic world of today, King Ibn Saud of Arabia enjoys the greatest measure of authority and prestige. He alone might have the power to translate into concrete deeds the high-sounding scheme. But whether he entertains the same Imperial ambition as did King Hussein, whom he ousted from Mecca, is doubtful.

Moreover, from the religious point of view, he hardly presents the figure of an orthodox. It is in Vichy, in Damas and in Beyrouth that, for various reasons, Eden's statement is likely to call forth the keenest reactions.

An aspect of the British decision hardly can fail to be welcomed in Vichy with some glee. On August 6, 1940, Winston Churchill, in a letter addressed to General Charles de Gaulle, bound his Government to "secure the integral restoration of France's independence and greatness." That phrase was interpreted generally to mean that the metropolitan and overseas domain of France would be re-established as it was before the defeat of 1941. But now, Syria is being excluded from that guarantee. The average Frenchman will easily perceive in the British move the natural outcome of the policy of co-operation initiated with Germany.

HELD UNDER MANDATE

Moreover, held by the French Government as Syria was under a mandate of the League of Nations, he never considered that land a permanent possession. But all the official or semi-official voices in Vichy are sure to exclaim that de Gaulle is a puppet of the British Cabinet and that the British Cabinet makes light of its so-called commitments to him.

A British grab will be denounced and full advantage taken of the apprehensions invariably felt by all the Christian minorities throughout Syria whenever any prospect of Arab ascendency seems to draw nearer and become more definite. The Patriarch of the Maronites, last Winter expressed friendship for England. He already has begun to shift his allegiance to the other side. But, as against those profits, Vichy may have to foot a heavy bill: The strong impulse of the Syrian Nationalists to build up in Damas a Government of their own with the help of the British Army of General Sir Henry Maitland Wilson in Palestine.

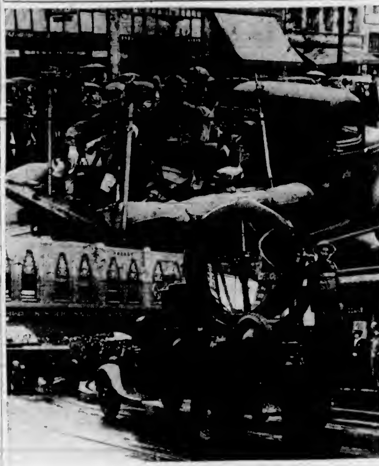
The success or failure of the political step taken by Mr Churchill and his colleagues to retrieve the fortune of the British Empire in the Near and Middle East, will depend not only upon the material resources that can be thrown into the struggle but upon the alertness of the Intelligence Service in that part of the world. Hitherto in this war, that service has not given a good account of itself. Almost at every turn, it was caught napping.

LANGUAGE DIFFICULTIES

For instance, in Libya, when the Sennousais proposed to rise against their hated Italian rulers, no officer with any command of the dialect could be found in the whole British Army. Two officers dispatched from India, proved unequal to the task and the services of Free French interpreters had to be enlisted.

Another failure was the tolerance shown to Aziz-el-Masri, formerly a Turkish officer and an assistant of the German general, Lehman von Sanders, who, last Summer, was still at the head of the Egyptian army. He was not forced out of his function by British vigilance, but by the working of the age limit and up till a recent date was allowed to proceed quietly with his intrigues. Around the confines of Asia and Africa, there is a branch of His Majesty's forces which, for years has been sadly neglected. The time-honored Cavalry of Saint Georges. And yet its equipment is of the simplest pattern, does not require shipping space and cannot be interfered with by submarines and tanks.

Mechanized Equipment on Parade



Victorians caught a glimpse of various types of the mechanized equipment that is such an important part of modern, high-speed warfare, during the recruiting parade through city streets, held on Saturday afternoon, when guns, tractors, motor lorries and armored vehicles rolled along in imposing procession. Top illustrates a mounted signaling station, with telephones and lamps for visual communication. Bottom shows one of the giant mobile searchlights used in defensive operations.

FEW FIRES IN WOODS OF B.C.

Only Four Small Blazes Reported as Week Ends After Showers

British Columbia completed the fourth week of its current forest fire season yesterday, with four small fires still burning and fourteen others extinguished during the period. Total fire occurrences since the start of the season were placed by the Provincial Forestry Service at 143. Recent rains, it was said, had helped.

The Vancouver and Vancouver Island regions reported moderate fire hazard, lessening at the week-end with general showers. Prince Rupert forest district reported cool and cloudy weather, and all safe in the bush. At Kamloops it was cool and cloudy, and at Nelson there had been generous rains. Only the Fort George forest district told of clear, warm weather, in the last period under report.

Members of the general public were reminded that camp fire permits are necessary for all fires lighted within half a mile of bush lands. They may be obtained free from any post of the Provincial Police.

SMELTER OFFICIAL DIES IN CAR SMASH

TRAIL, May 31 (CP)—C. T. Oughtred of Kimberley, B.C., general superintendent of concentration for the Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company of Canada, was killed Thursday morning when the car he was driving jumped the road between New Denver and Sandon, B.C., and careened down a bank.

Mr. Oughtred was accompanied by R. B. Buckman, master mechanic for the same company at Kimberley, who is in hospital at New Denver suffering from broken ribs and shock.

Present of Milk Sent by Workers

LONDON, May 31 (CP).—Forty-eight tins of evaporated milk were found in each of three cases of machine tools from the United States received today by the Ministry of Supply and Ordnance.

Attached to each case was this typewritten slip:

"Employees of the Jones Machine Tool Works of Cincinnati send this box to employees where this machine is sent.

"The milk is intended for your children and has been sent without the knowledge of the purchasers of these tools or any agent connected with same."

JUDGEMENT RESERVED

VANCOUVER, May 31 (CP).—Judgment was reserved by Mr. Justice Sidney Smith in Supreme Court, Friday, on a claim of three miners to recover damages from Ginger Coote Airways, Limited, for injuries they suffered when a plane carrying them from Vancouver to Zeballos last November caught fire and made a forced landing near Nanaimo. Plaintiffs are Alfred William Ludditt, Jack Edward Steeves and William E. Parker.

FUNERAL MONDAY FOR GEN. MONEY

Soldier and Sportsman Who Died Friday Will Be Buried at Qualicum Beach

Funeral services for Brigadier General Noel Money, C.M.G., D.S.O., T.D., who died Friday night at his home at Qualicum Beach after a brief illness, will be held tomorrow afternoon at the family residence at 2 o'clock. Rev. A. G. Bagshaw will officiate.

General Money, who served with distinction in the Boer War and the first Great War, was proprietor of the Qualicum Beach Hotel, and was a well-known sportsman.

He was seventy-four years of age. Burial will be made in Qualicum Beach Cemetery.

Flag Ceremony Is Held at Nanaimo

NANAIMO, May 31.—Citizens in all walks of life, military companies of the Irish Fusiliers and the Lincoln-Welland Regiments witnessed the raising of a pledge flag in connection with the Victory Loan campaign on the Court House grounds today. Alderman Charles Salter, on behalf of the city, pledged Nanaimo to subscribe $480,000 or surrender the flag.

Dr. W. O. Western dedicated the loaned flag. C. Murray Reynolds, campaign publicity chairman, raised the flag to the top of the Court House flag pole. Civilians and soldiers reverently joined in prayer. Bands played "There'll Always Be an England," and the National Anthem," at the impressive ceremony.

MUST LOOK TO DEFENCES

British Magazine Says Canadian Coast Within Nazi Bomber Range

LONDON, May 31 (CP).—Canadian factories and cities on the Atlantic coast must "look to their defences" because they are within the range of German bombers, the magazine "The Aeroplane" says editorially.

The authoritative aviation publication, warning of the possibility of a German air attack on North America, declared: "There can no longer be any doubt that America can be bombed from Europe and from bases held by the Germans.

"There can be no doubt such a policy would delight the Nazi mentality, not for its material effects but for its propaganda value. The Luftwaffe is reported on reliable authority to be pressing on with a plan for such an attack. The naval clash off Greenland last week may have been associated with such designs.

"The lesson is clear. Canadian and United States factories and cities on the Atlantic coast from Quebec to Panama must look to their defences and be prepared to give air invaders just such a reception as they met in the battle of Britain last Summer.

"Fortunately American output and armament are sufficient to meet this need without diverting any essential supplies now coming across the Atlantic to Great Britain.

"The new Heinkel 117 bomber with an overload range of 7,040 miles can carry half a ton of bombs from Brest to New York and return non-stop to Brest. It could start from Brest, make a round trip by way of Montreal to Stavanger (Norway) with a load of 5,000 pounds. If it could use Greenland as an intermediate base it could take 15,000 pounds."

TO GIVE SAVINGS STAMPS AS TIPS

Commercial Travelers of Northwest to Cease Giving Gratuities in Cash

VANCOUVER, May 31 (CP).—Waiters and waitresses, sleeping car porters and other hotel and railway employees who attend to the needs of traveling salesmen in future will receive their tips from commercial travelers of British Columbia, Oregon and Washington in the form of war and defence savings stamps.

The plan was decided upon today at the grand council of the United Commercial Travelers, meeting in convention here. Delegates agreed to recommend to the supreme council at Columbus, Ohio, that the plan be adopted by commercial travelers throughout the United States and Canada.

It was estimated that the 100,000 members of the order could be able to distribute a minimum of $10,000 in Canadian War Savings Stamps and similar United States National Defence Savings Stamps.

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HEINZ BABY FOODS 3 for 25¢
SALT 1½-lb. pkg. 5¢
HORNES' GELATINE 10¢ pkt.
PURE LARD 1-lb. Prints 7¢ lb.

Round Steak, Rib Steak, Sirloin Steak 29c lb.

Pure Orange Marmalade, 32-oz. jar 19¢

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Ormond's Graham Wafers, 16 oz.
Cocoa, Neilson's, ½-lb. tin.
Silver King Pastry Flour, 5-lb. bag.
Nabob Lemon Cheese, tumblers.
19c Each

Manning's English-Style Tea Biscuits, lb. 19¢

Soup, Campbell's, Tomato or Vegetable.
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Tomatoes, Aylmer, 15-oz tins.
Pilchards, Nabob, 1's.
Spaghetti, Libby's, 1's.
Tomato Catsup, Aylmer, 16 oz.
2 tins 19c

McGoll's Peanut Butter, 18-oz. jar 19¢

THRIFT SOAP FLAKES 4-lb. Carton 30¢
WELCH'S GRAPE JUICE Pint Bottle 29¢
HYGRADE COFFEE 1-lb. Pkg. 29¢
ROYAL CROWN CLEANSER 4¢ tin
FRESH FIG BARS 15¢ lb.
MIXED CANDY 12½¢ lb
HORMEL SPICED HAM 16 oz 29¢ tin
CANADIAN TOILET TISSUE 3¢ roll

LOCAL HEAD LETTUCE 2 for 5¢
NEW LOCAL GREEN PEAS 2 lbs. 13¢

BULK MACARONI or VERMICELLI 2 lbs. 9¢

Dessert Pears 15-oz. tin; Plums, Choice Red 15-oz. tin; Oxo Cubes 4's, tin 9c
Macaroni Ready Cut, 16-oz. pkg; Tomato Juice Campbell's, 20-oz. tin; Peas, Brentwood Sieve 5 9c

POT BARLEY 2 lbs. 9c

Lemonade Powders pkts.; BIG SHOT Wheat and Rice Puffs pkts.; Horne's Custard pkts.; Pork and Beans Aylmer 1-oz. tins; Tomato Juice Pure 10-oz. tins; Rackitt's Blue pkts. 2 for 9c

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THE VICTORY LOAN

The people of Australia in the last war loan launched in that country over-subscribed it by $340,000,000. London has just had a War Weapons Week to raise £100,000,000. The sum invested exceeded £120,000,000. These are examples that should be an inspiration to Canada in the Victory Loan campaign to raise $600,000,000 which commences this week. It should be a matter of pride for this part of the Empire to do at least as well as Australia. The amount is large, but in wartime hundreds of millions must be secured to provide the sinews for the struggle. As a matter of fact, what Canada is about to raise represents approximately what Great Britain is spending on the war every twenty days. Thought of in those terms there is nothing stupendous about the loan on which so much effort will be concentrated during the next few weeks.

It is not as if this loan means that the people are being asked to make sacrifices. There is none attached to investing money which reaps a larger interest rate than the same money placed in savings accounts. The security is the bond of Canada herself. People are being asked to invest at what in these days are profitable rates. They are not being asked to give; just to show their faith in the credit of the country to which they belong. If this aspect of the Victory Loan becomes apparent to all who have money to invest, then the canvassers should experience no trouble in their task. The money is needed for the prosecution of Canada's part in the war. It should be subscribed readily and the Empire should be shown that Canada is no whit behindhand in the public desire to see this war through to a victorious conclusion.

MORAL RECONSTRUCTION

There is deep significance in the fact that amid the tumult and horrors of the time there are those who can shake off destructive apprehensions and look into the heart of things. Many who speak of post-war reconstruction, of the making of a new world in which the repetition of the happenings of today will be impossible, are dealing solely with political and economic systems and their reform. They ignore the knowledge that what is needed, what indeed must precede any fruition of their fondest hopes, is a change in the moral outlook, a realization that it is by the things of the spirit that mankind really lives. Dr. W. B. Selbie in "God and Ourselves," which has just been published, says: "The supreme need of the hour is a spiritual preparation for the great task of reconstruction that will sooner or later be upon us. The hope of the future is not in political or economic systems, but in men and women of conscience, conviction and good will who have heard and responded to the call of God."

Dr. Selbie is of the opinion that the troubles of many people begin "because they persist in confounding religion with its intellectual expression." How he defines religion is as life—"the life of God in the soul of man, manifestation of the infinite in the finite, an experience of the eternal in time." This means that it is a mistake to make religious ideas and beliefs "the criterion of reality in religion." Perhaps what Dr. Selbie says should be coupled with thoughts expressed by Mr. Douglas Stewart in his book, "Personal Religion and the Future of Europe," also just published, in which the author says that "man is failing because he misunderstands his own nature and is neglecting its deepest needs." The secular mind does not admit failure, even amid the chaos that its making of the world has engendered. The Christian mind, however, does admit it and can point unerringly to the proof that is writing itself into the scroll of contemporary history. There has been moral failure, and, despite what all the pundits of any new economy or any revolution in political systems may claim for their theories, that failure will persist until, as Mr. Stewart writes, "men submit themselves anew to a religious discipline which will in turn create both religious vision and moral power sufficient for our needs."

Morality needs religion; it cannot be maintained without it, for it is only religion that creates moral realism, that provides a moral standard, that equips man or woman with an adequate moral dynamic. Without religion moral order will have no meaning and conscience no office. The one and only sustained battle that is being fought throughout life on earth is that between Good and Evil. This is a war in which there can never be any neutrality. There can be no refusal of recognition of this struggle. The blunt alternatives present themselves to every individual; to every nation as well. The decision on which side a man will stand must be made here and now, and it may well be that it is because too few are standing on the side of the Master that earth's woes have grown to such alarming proportions in these latter days. Men are bidden to the Great Supper, as the parable relates, to that Supper that symbolizes the fullness of life. Those who refuse the invitation do so because they prefer lower ends, ends that are self-seeking, of self-interest, for self-satisfaction. They will not subscribe to loyalty to the highest ideals; they shut their eyes to spiritual values and thus encourage atrophy of the moral sense. These are they who refuse to acknowledge religion as life, a life that is described in Scripture figuratively as a feast held in the banqueting house where "His banner over me was love."

All human agencies—even the Church itself—must take their share of the blame because the state of the world is what it is today. Sometimes it seems that the voice from the pulpit is becoming a little incoherent. It is laying so much stress on social, industrial and political issues, on those issues which have to do with the human governance of mankind, that it is apt to conceive of its true task as of secondary importance. That task surely is to bear witness that what men need most for both their temporal and spiritual welfare is the living apprehension and personal experience of the redemption that lies at the heart of the Gospel. That is the first concern of the Church, to proclaim with fidelity that the well-being of humanity does not consist in the abundance of things possessed, but lies in the fullest appreciation of spiritual values. It is in this respect that the Church can remember what Edmund Burke said: "Politics and the pulpit are terms that have little agreement. No sound ought to be heard in the Church but the healing voice of Christian charity."

Whatever reconstruction there will be after the present war, if it is to endure on a permanent and solid scale, must be based on a realization that it is by the things of the spirit that mankind really lives. It must have as its foundation a life devoted to moral achievement. If there is to be a better world the man who make it so must, as well, have spiritual citizenship in a Kingdom where "the gates shall not be shut at all by day," and "there shall be no night." It is citizenship in that Kingdom that insures men will never lose confidence in the ultimate issue of life. It is confidence in the sure vindication of the Divine will, belief that is impregnable in the inner sanctuary of the heart, that alone will enable mankind to sing the triumph-song of a re-created world.

A MINOR CAMPAIGN

The campaign in Irak is over with an armistice granted by the British to the followers of Rashid Ali, who has fled to Iran. The British now occupy Bagdad and will restore the Government of Emir Abdul Ilah, the regent of the kingdom. At one time during the campaign the Germans gave an indication of coming to the aid of Rashid Ali, but the number of airplanes they dispatched was on a small scale and their preoccupation in Crete seems to have determined them to postpone any venture to put a large enough force in the kingdom to hold the oilfields of Mosul. Perhaps this purpose is only postponed. It may be undertaken if, as is strongly believed, the enemy attempts an advance, via Syria and through Palestine, to the Suez Canal. Before any undertaking of this character it would be the logical policy of the Germans to try to seize Irak and remove a British threat to their flank, as well as depriving the armies of General Wavell and the Mediterranean Fleet of the oil supplies they have been obtaining from the Mosul area.

There need, therefore, be no premature optimism over the end of the campaign in Irak. It is a minor success for British arms. It has little or no bearing on the future trend of events, save that the British have shown their determination to secure the independence of the country and to maintain their rights there in connection with oil supplies. In connection with this it is now known how great is the strength of air-borne invasion that Germany can bring to bear in her assaults. If that weapon of war is to be countered with success Great Britain will have to increase, and very substantially, the number of her air squadrons in the Mediterranean arena. The lesson of Crete, and it was the lesson of Greece as well, is that air power must match air power if the march of the German legions is to be stayed, and more than match it if the enemy is to be routed finally.

FEAR OF FORCE

It is almost always better to lose a thing by force than with the fear of force; for if you give up a thing through fear you do it to avoid a war, and most times you do not so avoid it. For the man to whom you have granted this by an act of open cowardice will not stop at this one thing, but will desire to take others from you also, and will be all the bolder against you in that he respects you less; while on the other hand you will find the defenders colder in helping you when it seems to them that you are weak or cowardly. But if immediately you discover the desires of your opponent you prepare your forces, even if they are inferior to his, yet he begins to respect you; the other princes round respect you more; and one or other of them may think of helping you when you are armed who would never help at all were you to give in.—Machiavelli, Discourses, II, 14.

Oh, now comes that bitter word—"But," which makes all nothing that was said before, that smoothes and wounds, that strikes and dashes more than flat denial, or a plain disgrace.—Daniel.

Teach self-denial, and make its practice pleasurable, and you create for the world a destiny more sublime than ever issued from the brain of the wildest dreamer. —Walter Scott.

A grateful thought toward heaven is of itself a prayer. —Lessing.

Our youth and manhood are due to our country, but our declining years are due to ourselves.—Pliny.

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 7.00 p.m., May 31, 1941.

SYNOPSIS OF WEATHER CONDITIONS

It has been overcast and mild with light to moderate rain on Vancouver Island and in the Southern Interior, while in Northern British Columbia it has been partly cloudy.

On the Prairies it has been cloudy and mild with scattered showers in Alberta and local light rain in Manitoba and Saskatchewan.

PRECIPITATION AND TEMPERATURES

(Precipitation for twelve hours to 5.00 p.m., temperatures for twenty-four hours.)

	Precipitation	Min.	Max.
Victoria	.38	52	54
Nanaimo	.35	54	58
Vancouver	Trace	52	58
Kamloops	.00	56	71
Prince George		50	84
Estevan Point	.12	50	56
Prince Rupert		46	54
Langara	..	47	49
Atlin	.	41	71
Dawson		43	..
Seattle	.29	52	60
Portland		50	67
San Francisco		50	67
Spokane		52	64
Penticton	.06	56	62
Vernon		57	.
Kelowna	..	56	..
Grand Forks		55	..
Nelson	.20	55	68
Kaslo		52	
Cranbrook	.73	52	60
Calgary		48	63
Edmonton	.03	51	63
Swift Current	Trace	49	68
Regina	.03	54	64
Prince Albert		45	63
Winnipeg	.43	53	57

SATURDAY

Minimum	52
Maximum	54
Average	53
Minimum on the grass	51

Weather, cloudy.

Sunshine, May 30, 12 hours 42 minutes.

Total precipitation, 24 hours ending 5.00 p.m. May 31, .38 inch.

5:00 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS

Victoria—Barometer, 30.08; wind, S., 2 miles; cloudy.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.07; wind, S.-SE., 15 miles, raining.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.92; calm; cloudy.

Prince George—Barometer, 29.74; wind, N., 10 miles; cloudy.

Prince Rupert — Barometer, 29.98, wind, NW., 5 miles; fair.

Langara—Barometer, 29.96, wind, W.-NW., 16 miles; cloudy.

Estevan Point — Barometer, 30.05; wind, E.-SE., 10 miles; raining.

Tatoosh — Barometer, 30.08; wind, SW., 10 miles; cloudy.

Portland — Barometer, 30.08; wind, NW., 2 miles; cloudy.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.07; wind, S.SE., 5 miles, raining.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.06; wind, W., 13 miles; clear.

Note and Comment

By SANDHAM GRAVES

THE WEEK

The week proved one of the most climatic in the last five months of the war. Great Britain demonstrated her ability to sweep from the surface of the Atlantic Ocean any naval force that the Axis powers are capable of putting there. Germany demonstrated that, given a springboard footing, she can still hold within such radius a practical command of the air. Strategically, the week brought actual gains and actual losses to both sides. At sea, Germany's largest, hardest-hitting battleship, the Bismarck, was pummelled into scrap metal, and sent beneath the waves after an inglorious flight of 1,750 miles. On land, British and Greek forces were blasted by air out of Suda Bay and half of the north coast of Crete. In the Eastern Mediterranean, Britain lost the cruisers Gloucester, Fiji and York; and the destroyers Kelly, Juno, Greyhound and Kashmir. Another destroyer, the Mashoni, went down in the Atlantic when bombed from the air. Axis gains, which had included a direct hit on a vital spot on H.M.S. Hood, were not without their price. The Bismarck, one-fourth of the capital ship strength of the German navy, was gone, and in her first action; the German cruiser Prinz Eugen became a marked ship in flight towards a doubtful haven; the French steamer Winnipeg with German Bundists from the United States, fell into British hands; and the Italian liner Count Rosso was picked off in the Mediterranean when the British Navy intercepted a convoy south of Sicily. Axis losses in the air and on land over Crete were unannounced; but are known to have been high. On both sides, the blows were heavy, and direct.

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The week produced a dramatic sequel to the explosion of H.M.S. Hood, in the first few minutes of a long-range action in which she placed at least one salvo on the bow of the Bismarck before receiving a mortal blow in exchange. Practically the entire ship's complement went down. The Bismarck's fire also found H.M.S. Prince of Wales, but she remained in action. Making a run for it, the Bismarck and the Prince Eugen separated and fled. The Bismarck, under observation since she cleared from Bergen to enter Denmark Strait, was chased by the Royal Navy across the breadth of the Atlantic Ocean, to a point 400 miles off the coast of France. British cruisers shadowed her. The aircraft carriers Victorious and Ark Royal (nine times "sunk" by Herr Goebbels) released air torpedo attacks, some of which found their mark. Brought to bay finally, the Bismarck turned her guns on her pursuers, large and small; and was gunned into a mass of twisted metal on her last day. A blazing ruined hulk with her after turret hanging clear of her housing, the Bismarck was sent to the bottom by torpedo. One hundred officers and men of her complement were rescued at sea despite German air attacks which sank the destroyer Mashoni soon afterwards. The greatest hunt in naval history closed with a long balance in favor of Great Britain's power at sea. Despite the loss of the twenty-year-old Hood, the Bismarck was a prize.

In Crete, after what had appeared to be a favorable turn at the end of last week, the Allied position steadily grew worse. From a foothold on the airdrome at Malemi, the Germans enlarged their hold, until they held the western end of the island. Using Malemi as a springboard, Stukas razed the capital and other towns on the north coast of the island; aided land forces, estimated at 35,000 air-borne troops, to capture Suda Bay, and were pounding hard at Heraclean as the week ended. Reckless disregard of losses attended the German success. Upward of 250 troop-carrying planes went into the discard. Stukas fell by the score; but others came to take their place. During the week, the British raided Scarpanto and Rhodes, in the Dodocanese group to the east of Crete; pounded Malemi and beach air bases in German hands; but failed to stem the infiltration which made its presence felt on the ground. The exact position of Axis and Allied forces at the week-end was by no means clear. British sources described the position as critical.

German sources were claiming an outright victory in the battle for Crete. The Luftwaffe followed their air advantage to sea, but were heavily pummelled by British air patrols in the Eastern Mediterranean on Saturday. Still inconclusive Crete became the most significant test in the whole of the battle for the Mediterranean bowl. British reverses were in part due, it was probable, to disinclination to weaken home defences in the air over the United Kingdom; and to the practical difficulty of fighting springboard invasion at a distance of more than 150 miles from her nearest dromes. Under this handicap, the Royal Air Force cut its own weight in planes out of the Cretian air; took a heavy toll of German machines on land; but could not stem embittered hand-to-hand fighting on the ground. The Royal Navy made good its pledge that surface reinforcements for the Germans in Crete would not pass. The Luftwaffe were forced to transfer fresh units from northwest points, to fill the gaps made by losses during the drive. Axis losses remain part of the story that has yet to be told.

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Elsewhere, the week passed without great change. In Ethiopia, Great Britain continued mopping-up operations; taking thousands of Italian troops and levies in the process. In Iraq, the Raschid Ali revolt was smothered; Bagdad entered, and the situation materially improved from the standpoint of our position in the Middle East. Raschid Ali fled. Axis powers made little, if any, attempt to salvage the rebellion; though some Italian planes were dropped. There was sporadic air action over Britain. Liverpool and Dublin were bombed. The R.A.F. maintained raids on Northwest Germany and Channel dromes. The United States declared a state of unlimited emergency; putting vast defence powers in the hands of President Roosevelt. The move was regarded as a symbol.

The Observation Car

By THE EDITORIAL STAFF

Children's Friend

From "C. C." who gets around and sees things: To his friends he is known as Mac, a well-built, good-natured, healthy gentleman. To hundreds of Victoria West children he is known and loved as the candyman. For the past thirty years, rain or shine, every Sunday morning just as the children are trooping from two church Sunday schools near Catherine and Henry Streets, Mac is there waiting with a large bag of candy for distribution. He knows every child and their specialties in color, brand and taste of sweets. The smaller ones seem to like licorice, while their seniors go in for peppermints. One Sunday the children's friend was under the weather. So as not to disappoint the tiny tots he arrived in a friend's car to carry out his usual distribution ceremony. Recently a little blonde beauty of five years of age gratefully accepted some candy from the benevolent man. "Young lady," he beamed, "I gave you licorice twenty-five years ago." The girl was a perfect picture of her mother, who the candyman had first met in the same spot when she was a beginner in one of the Sunday schools. Two men were heard talking about the higher things of life on a Gonzales Bay street car. Said one: "I can't stand all this wretched slang in use today. For instance I hate the expression 'That's the stuff to give the troops'." Replied the other, "It would sound far better if one remarked, 'In my considered opinion, it is a commodity eminently suitable for unrestricted distribution among the armed forces of the crown'."—G.B.

Soviet Russia was the first country to train armed parachutists.

It's Only a Little Grey Island

It's only a little Grey Island,
It's only a bit of clay,
With roses and cottages on it,
And green shady lanes and the hay;
But it's worth it—it's worth it—the price is,
In tears and in blood that they pay.

It's only a Willow-pond weeping
Beside the old manor-house lone,
Where the long stately windows are shuttered,
And the lords and the ladies are gone;
But it's worth it—it's worth it—the price is,
Though it's laughter that dies laughing on.

It's only a half-room and cellar
Mid the wrack of a back-alley street,
Where they live with the factory near it,
Nor rest from its toil and heat;
For it's worth it—it's worth it—though hell is,
And death, where they toil and sweat.

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—Dudley H. Anderson.

Victoria, B.C., 1941.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception. No letter should exceed 300 words in length.

SALVAGE CORPS

Sir,—It has come to the attention of the Salvage Corps that armchair criticism of its efforts has developed which, if not contradicted, will help in the enemy work of sabotage rather than the national work of salvage which we are endeavoring to attempt.

A fair criticism of our work would be that we have done so little, but could not the energy of the critics be better directed by getting their coats off and helping—help we badly need? The gist of the criticism seems to be that we are building up a large profit for junk dealers, which is very unfair.

We wish to make it clear that we are operating under the National Salvage Campaign which requires, and receives from us, exact details of every class of sale made and the price received, and that the Department of National War Services at Ottawa has laid down very complete and fair instructions as to how the salvage campaign should be conducted, and have instructed us to sell through the usual channels of trade unless we have good reason not to do so.

We have taken a great deal of trouble to check prices we receive here with other cities, and where we have felt it advisable have sold direct to the ultimate users of the class of material being sold.

The dealers have been most helpful and co-operative and in some cases have arranged sales for us without profit to themselves. Up to date, out of several hundred dollars realized, we have sold less than $100 worth to dealers, mainly rags and articles which cannot be sold in any other way. Finally, is it reasonable to suppose that we, who are giving our time and energy to this work, would be likely, any more than our critics, to give opportunities for excessive profits out of our unpaid endeavours.

Fair criticism is welcome—A personal call face to face from a critic would be more welcome as such would be courteously received and every opportunity given to inquire fully into all our books and transactions, which are audited by a chartered accountant, and will stand any such inquiry at any time.

We are registered under the Societies Act of British Columbia and have the permit of the Department of National War Services under the War Charities Act for operations in Victoria and surrounding districts, for the benefit of raid victims in Britain.

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1220 Vancouver Street, Victoria, B.C.
May 29, 1941.

SHUT-INS

Sir,—I have been very interested in reading the letters in the press on "shut-ins' day" and the plans for June 2 by the Canadian Cheerio Club.

I think I am only one of millions who thank God for the radio and press, the more so since I had the misfortune to break my leg in February.

On Mother's Day last I was able to listen in to a wonderful sermon by one of our local pastors on the subject "The Sweetest Word Spoken, Mother" followed by a solo "Tell Mother I'll Be There." My eyes filled as I thought of mothers and fathers, sitting many of them in one small room which they called home, with very little to live on in the sunset of life after bringing a family up to this beautiful land of ours, while hundreds and thousands of others are rolling in wealth.

I hope the Shut-Ins' Day, on June 2, will be a great success for the sponsors, and I am sure that the idea of personal visitation will be even more welcome than the programme of the radio and the press. While I was in hospital and since I got back home such visits have been the human touch that has made life seem sweet and warm.

O. A. DYSON.
1442 Camosun Street, Victoria, B.C.
May 30, 1941.

Of the entire cost of milk production, money spent for feed normally comprises half.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily Colonist of June 1, 1891)

The City of Kingston—Owing to the slight accident to the City of Kingston, which has already been reported, she was unable to take her regular trip on Sunday night, but it was expected that the City of Seattle would take her place last night. Owing, however to the rush of business on the Sound, it was found impossible to dispatch a vessel on Monday in place of the Kingston. However it is thought the City of Seattle will go on the regular run tonight.

Meeting of Architects—The architects of Victoria and other cities have for long been alive to the necessities of closer association, and in consequence will hold a meeting on Wednesday evening in the Y.M.C.A. rooms, for the purpose of associating to promote the interests of the profession in British Columbia.

A Good Example—H. C. Beeton has set a good example to all who are in a position to contribute some work of interest to the Board of Trade Library. In addition to the Statistical Atlas he has recently presented complete files of The Board of Trade Journal and Chamber of Commerce Journal.

To Improve the Service—Rumor has it that the steamer Emma will not be returned to the Nanaimo-Victoria route, from which she has just been withdrawn, the intention of her owners, Messrs. Gisholm & Fisher, being to place two first class steamers in the service, making daily trips.

Sunrise and Sunset

JUNE

Times of sunrise and sunset (Pacific Standard Time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of June, 1941.

Date	Sunrise	Sunset	Date	Sunrise	Sunset
1	4 14	20 06	16	4 10	20 17
2	4 13	20 07	17	4 10	20 18
3	4 13	20 08	18	4 10	20 18
4	4 14	20 09	19	4 10	20 18
5	4 13	20 10	20	4 11	20 19
6	4 12	20 11	21	4 11	20 19
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11	4 11	20 14	26	4 12	20 19
12	4 11	20 15	27	4 12	20 19
13	4 10	20 16	28	4 12	20 19
14	4 10	20 16	29	4 13	20 19
15	4 10	20 17	30	4 14	20 19

Meteorological Office, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

Tides at Victoria

JUNE

Time of tides (Pacific Standard Time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of June, 1941.

Date	H.M.	Ft.	H.M.	Ft.	H.M.	Ft.	H.M.	Ft.
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11	3 07	8 8	10 10	0 4	19 30	8 1	22 37	7 4
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25	6 53	8 8	8 38	1 1	19 11	7 7	[illegible] 18	7 8
26	1 13	8 4	10 03	1 1	18 32	7 1	22 06	7 3
27	1 18	8 3	10 41	1 7	20 06	7 8	27 40	7 3
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29	3 48	7 4	11 58	8 3	20 18	7 8		
30	1 06	8 4	4 14	8 7	18 88	8 8	20 08	8 1

The time is Pacific Standard, for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the table, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

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FUNERAL NOTICE

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O BESLER, W President.
JAS WILMSHURST Secretary

BALBOA Panama Canal Zone May 31 (AP)—United States Army Headquarters issued a blanket order today barring all unauthorized persons from pier areas at Panama Canal terminals here and at Cristobal

Officials said the move was not linked directly with the sabotage vigil in the United States, but conceded it was part of a "general tightening up"

MAYOR URGES PUBLIC HELP

Appeals to Citizens to Support Victory Loan Drive Opening Monday

"Prime Minister Churchill has asked us for the tools. We can provide them by subscribing to the [illegible]" Mayor Andrew McGavin stated yesterday, in an appeal to citizens of Victoria to suppport the campaign opening here on Monday.

"I am not unmindful of the fact that claims on the average man's pocket are heavy at present. They may be heavier still. But in these times of emergency, it is necessary for all to make sacrifices.

"This war has proved conclusively that it is a war of all classes. Rich and poor alike are suffering in Britain. Rich and poor alike are affected in Canada

"Victoria has always proved its willingness to shoulder its share of the load in previous times of stress I am confident it will not lag at this time

"This appeal for funds goes out to all classes. The Federal Government wants money to carry on its war effort. It can only secure that money where money is. So I call on you all not to consider self-interest, even though the loan offers you a sound return on your funds. Contribute as you can. You have the money to buy the tools. Surely none can deny Prime Minister Churchill's appeal," Mayor McGavin declared.

INCREASE ON B.C. LIQUOR

Whisky, Beer, Ale and Light Wines Move Up in Price On Monday

Liquor Board prices on whisky, beer and ale, light wines and some other forms of stock will go up on Monday from a few cents to as much as 35 cents in some instances. The increases, announced yesterday by W F. Kennedy, British Columbia liquor commissioner, are due in part to Federal taxation; and in the case of whisky, to war risks adding costs on distillers.

The chief changes were announced by Mr. Kennedy, as follows: Imported Scotch whisky will go up by 35 cents a 26-oz. bottle, or from $3.75 to $4 10. This is due to a 95 per cent increase in costs on the distillers for war risks insurance, freight and ordinary insurance; leading to a 24 per cent increase in the total price charged the board by distillers, as from April 26 last. Taxation plays no part in the increase this time.

There will be no increase in Canadian manufactured brands, but Liquor Board brands in the 16-oz. size will go up 25 cents, or $2 a gallon.

BEER AND ALE

Canadian wines, beer and ale move up because of the new Federal taxation. The board will now pay $21.30 per barrel to the breweries, as against $20 10, Mr. Kennedy said. The board will sell barrelled beer to licensed premises at an increase of $1 20 per barrel; or at [illegible] crease at vendors stores will be 10 cents per dozen pints, and 15 cents per dozen quarts. Ale will go up 5 cents per dozen pints.

The board expects that licensed premises will absorb the beer increase directly, Mr Kennedy stated

Canadian wines, due to taxation, move up 5 cents per reputed quart; Calona brands 25 cents per reputed quart, and some cocktail mixtures 10 cents per bottle, in the larger sizes Other stocks in brandy, gin and rum will not be affected.

NEWFOUNDLAND CLUB

The regular meeting of the Newfoundland Club will be held tomorrow evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Cox 1043 Richardson Street. The meeting will be from 7 45 to 8 30 p.m., followed by a card game

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ORANGEMEN GIVE SUBSTANTIAL CHEQUE

TORONTO, May 31 (CP) — The Grand Orange Lodge of British America has presented a cheque for $12,400 to the Canadian Red Cross Society for the purchase of four mobile kitchen units to be used in bomb-stricken areas of England, Scotland and Wales. Lt.-Col T. A Kidd, Grand Master, presented the cheque which was accepted by Mr Justice P W Gordon, chairman of the executive committee of the Canadian Red Cross.

Municipal Heads To Convene Here

Members of the Municipal Officials' Association from all parts of British Columbia will gather in the members' room at the Legislative Buildings at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning for a two-day conference

Delegates will be tendered an official welcome by Mayor Andrew McGavin at 10 o'clock

At 7 o'clock Tuesday evening, the officials will be conveyed to the Royal Colwood Golf Club to be dinner guests of the Provincial Government.

A.R.P. Activities

1A. Oak Bay—The wardens under District Warden C H Rutherford held their regular weekly meeting on May 27 in the Municipal Hall Several new members were enrolled Captain W Everall gave another lecture on poison gas A Jarvie, of the St. John Ambulance Brigade, gave a practical demonstration of the use of the civilian duty respirator and protective oilskin clothing W. J. Baillie, who recently returned from London, where he served as an air raid warden, gave an interesting talk on the air wardens in England More wardens are needed and residents in the south part of Oak Bay are invited to the next meeting on Tuesday, or should telephone R Cullis, secretary, E 8276

3C. James Bay—At the James Bay wardens' meeting reports were received on the recent blackout. District Warden R Armstrong read the report he had submitted to Captain Ellis, C.P.O It was decided to have a social evening June 10, when the first air certificates will be presented to the twenty women and twenty-eight men wardens who passed the St. John Ambulance Association examination The next meeting will be held June 3 when stretcher drill will be practised under Deputy District Warden F Freeman.

5B. Saanich—The A.R.P. wardens under the command of A Cullen will meet in the Cloverdale School on Wednesday at 8 p.m. Those who contemplate taking the gas examination are asked to be present to sign the entry register. A Jarvie will review the course covered and give final instruction. Other matters of interest to the organization may be brought forward for discussion and the future programme arranged A full attendance is requested

2B. City—The A.R.P wardens under the command of M B. Wellburn, will meet on Monday at 8 p.m. at the George Jay School, to arrange future activities

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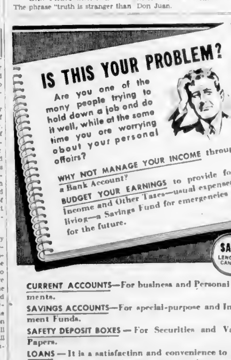

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WAR'S TOLL TO DATE IS GIVEN

Total Figures of Official Casualty Lists Disclosed In London

LONDON, May 31 (CP).—British war casualties have reached the 100,000-mark for all three fighting services in twenty-one months of war, it was disclosed today.

Almost half the total were said to be prisoners of war in Germany.

The figures, computed from official casualty lists, show that the war so far has cost only a fraction of the 3,190,235 British men killed, wounded, missing or taken prisoner in the first Great War.

The Nazis were reported to have taken 2,000,000 French and 40,000 British prisoners in France and the Low Countries, while British forces have taken 200,000 Italian prisoners in Africa.

ARMY'S LOSSES HEAVIEST

British military and naval casualties so far number 101,056, of which 74,164 were from the army, 15,898 from the navy and 10,998 from the air force. Of the army casualties, 7,879 men were killed and 19,610 wounded. The navy's losses included 4,422 killed and 3,553 wounded. In the air force 8,326 have been killed and 1,338 wounded. A total of 9,945 men are listed as missing.

The army casualties were believed to include some of the British troops lost in Greece, but none in Crete. The navy casualties do not include the men lost when the battle cruiser Hood was sunk a week ago by the German battleship Bismarck.

The air force totals include those killed and wounded in action on active service or in training or as the result of bombings.

R.C.A.F. Band Will Play at Patriotic Rally

On Monday night a patriotic rally will be held at the Royal Victoria Theatre at 8:15 o'clock. Part of the entertainment will be provided by the R.C.A.F. band, which will play for half an hour before the meeting starts. A band also will play outside the theatre immediately prior to the meeting. A fine programme of entertainment has been arranged for that evening. Miss Peggy Walton, who has just returned from a year's study in New York, will make her debut in a group of vocal solos. Thomas Crabbe, well-known baritone, will sing patriotic airs. A Scottish Pipe Band and dance team will perform, as also will the Girls' Drill Team. The three speakers will be Albert Sullivan, Inspector of High Schools; Dr. Henrietta Anderson, of the Provincial Normal School, and Bruce Hutchison, noted Canadian journalist. J. W. Spencer will be the chairman.

R.A.F. FIGHTERS WIN IN BATTLE

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heavy British bombers had raided the Italian islands of Scarpanto and Rhodes, east of Crete, led some observers to believe the heavy formation of German planes may have been met somewhere east of the Greek island.

In preparation for the expected expansion of the over-water air war should the Germans take Crete, the R.A.F. has been using Hurricane fighters with extra gasoline tanks and medium bombers especially fitted out as fighters.

SHROUDING SILENCE

LONDON, May 31 (CP).—Silence tonight shrouded the fate of Imperial forces fighting a gallant action against overwhelming odds on the Island of Crete and the London press was inclined to take a gloomy view of the situation.

The Times described the outlook as "unpromising" but described the fight put up by Imperial forces and their Greek Allies on the strategic island as "one of the most astonishing and inspiring yet witnessed in this war."

There was no official word of withdrawal and no comment on German claims that the campaign on Crete was nearing its end. The Germans were said to have suffered terrific casualties and the collapse of the anti-British revolt in Iraq was seen to stem directly from the delay imposed on the Nazis by the stubborn defence of Crete.

The War Office announced that Major-General B. C. Freyberg, V.C., commander of the British forces at Crete, was "alive and with his troops" despite German claims he had been killed in an airplane crash while flying to Egypt.

JUDGMENT RESERVED

VANCOUVER, May 31 (CP).—Judgment has been reserved by Court of Appeal in a dispute over approximately $8,000 interest claimed by Triangle Storage Limited, Victoria, on a $27,503 debt. The appeal by George T. Porter is from an order of Judge H. H. Shandley for sale of the Victoria Cold Storage Plant to satisfy a mechanics' lien plus eleven years' interest on the debt. Triangle Storage Limited acquired the judgment for the lien by assignment.

"She is very artistic," said the impressionable youth.

"Yes," answered the cynical friend. "I suppose she's the type of girl who thinks a bunch of hand-painted flowers is more important on a dinner plate than a steak."

Two Hurt in Plane Crash Near Keating

Sergeants Muckle and E. E. Smith, attached to No. 18 Elementary Flying Training School, R.C.A.F., suffered a broken left foot and a fractured left ankle respectively, when their airplanes crashed early yesterday afternoon near Keating during a training flight. Both men received lacerations and were taken to Patricia Bay Hospital.

The airplane was demolished. Smith was receiving flying instruction from Sergeant Muckle at the time of the crash. The condition of both men is reported to be good.

Announcements

Superfluous hair, moles, birth marks, etc., removed by Electrolysis. Miss Hanman, specialist, London, England, over twenty-five years practical experience. Recommended by the medical profession, positive cure guaranteed, call for booklet. Phone G 7642, 203 Scollard Building.

St. Matthias' Women's Guild will hold a strawberry tea in the church hall on Thursday next, June 5, commencing at 3 p.m. There will be a sale of miscellaneous articles and candy. Bridge tables will be arranged for those who wish to play. Tea, 25c; bridge and tea, 35c.

Women's Canadian Club, Empress Hotel, Tuesday, June 3, at 2.30 p.m. Annual meeting. Speaker, Miss Edna Jaques. Soloist, Mr. Norman Tyrell. Remember donation mobile canteen.

Rosicrucian Order, AMORC—You are cordially invited to attend a free lecture to be held in the Zetland Tea Rooms (upstairs), 647 Fort Street, next Terry's, Monday, June 2, 8 p.m.

Navy League Chapter I.O.D.E. Garden Party at the home of Mrs. Lennox Irving, at 515 Foul Bay Road, Wednesday, June 11, from 3 to 8 p.m. Admission 35c, including tea and tombola.

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City and District

Radio Technicians—Associated Radio Technicians of British Columbia will meet tomorrow night in the Arcade Building at 8 o'clock.

Four Fined—Three motorists were each fined $2.50 yesterday in the city police court for parking over the hour limit. Another paid a $10 fine for speeding past a school zone.

Ratepayers' Meeting—Ratepayers' Association, Saanich, will hold its monthly meeting tomorrow at 8 o'clock, at Cedar Hill School. Police Commissioners Eden and Day have consented to address the meeting.

Pensioners to Meet—The general meeting of the Victoria Old Age Pensioners' Association will be held at 2.30 o'clock Tuesday, at the First Baptist Church rooms, Quadra Street. All interested persons are invited to attend.

Wallets Stolen—Frank Smith informed police yesterday morning that his wallet containing $20 and papers had been stolen from his room at 1203 Blanshard Street. Lewis Backham, an occupant of the same room, also lost his wallet containing $3 and documents.

Diseases of Bulbs—Dr. William Newton, of the Dominion Laboratory of Plant Pathology at Saanichton, will discuss "Diseases of Bulbs and Ornamentals," at the June meeting of the Victoria Horticultural Society. The meeting will be held in the City Hall on Tuesday, at 8 p.m.

Chrysanthemum Care—Instructions on how to care for chrysanthemums during June will be given by Fred Saunders, guest speaker, when the Victoria and District Chrysanthemum Society holds its monthly meeting on Thursday, in the City Hall. Mr. Saunders will answer questions and a general discussion is planned.

Mounted Police Veterans—A meeting of the Royal North West Mounted Police Veterans' Association, Victoria Division, will be held on Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the board room of the Army & Navy Veterans' club rooms, Wharf Street. All members of the R.N.W. and C.M. Police are invited to attend.

Plan Survey—A suggestion of Alderman W. H. Davies that a comprehensive survey be made of parts of the city inadequately served by transportation facilities will be discussed by the City Council public utilities committee at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. Alderman Davies also suggested that the committee investigate the possibility of securing transportation for residents of the areas to be discussed.

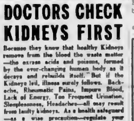
Car Damaged—An automobile driven by David Deacon, 1031 Pandora Avenue, skidded on street car tracks, knocked down a school zone sign and crashed into a telephone pole outside 1028 Pandora Avenue at 10.15 o'clock yesterday morning. It sustained considerable damage. Mr. Deacon received first aid at the police station for a deep cut on his nose, and was conveyed to the Royal Jubilee Hospital by Constables Brook Douglass and Angus Munro. Dr. George Hall attended.

HINDU ROBBED; GIVEN DUCKING

Victim of Night Assault at Parsons Bridge Loses Cash and Glasses

Struck on the head, robbed of $5.50 in cash and then thrown over Parsons Bridge, early this morning, by two white men whom he met in a highway beer parlor, Gulzara, a Hindu living at 2826 Quesnel Street, was brought home by Constable Jack Hamilton, of Saanich police, who picked him up at Seaton Street and Burnside Road, wet through from his ducking.

Constable Hamilton said that the Hindu was apparently uninjured. He was unable to furnish any description of his assailants because they had stolen his glasses, without which he is almost blind.



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"What hath God wrought!"

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PASSES AT NANAIMO

NANAIMO, May 31.—Mrs. Elizabeth Steel, eighty, resident of Nanaimo for thirty years, died at Mrs. McCree's Nursing Home today. Born in England, she is survived by her husband, Joseph Steel, and four sons, Thomas, Departure Bay; Albert and Harris, Nanaimo, and Joseph, Vancouver. The remains rest at Westwood Hirst Funeral Home.

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100	51.50	26.26	17.85	13.65	11.13	9.46	$ 7.78
125	64.38	32.83	22.32	17.06	13.92	11.82	9.73
150	77.26	39.39	26.78	20.48	16.70	14.18	11.67
175	90.13	45.96	31.24	23.89	19.48	16.55	13.62
200	103.01	52.52	35.71	27.30	22.27	18.91	15.57
225	115.89	59.09	40.17	30.71	25.05	21.28	17.51
250	128.76	65.66	44.63	34.13	27.83	23.64	19.46
275	141.64	72.22	49.09	37.54	30.61	26.00	21.40
300	154.51	78.79	53.56	40.95	33.40	28.37	23.35
350	180.27	91.92	62.48	47.78	38.96	33.10	27.24
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PERSONAL ITEMS and SOCIAL HAPPENINGS

Garden Party To Be Opened By Mrs. Beech

Navy League Chapter, I.O.D.E., will hold a garden party at the home of Mrs. Lennox Irving on June 11 from 3 to 6 p.m., which will be [illegible] of Commander Beech. There will be bridge and mah jong in the house, under the convenership of Mrs. T. A Johnston, assisted by the regent, Mrs. J. L. Ford, and an active committee consisting of Mrs. G. B Elliot, Garden 7483, who is in charge of the bridge and mah jong being held in the house, and who may be telephoned for reservations.

Mrs E Hanbury and Mrs. R. Renfrew are planning the tea arrangements. Mrs. F. V. Richardson and Mrs. J. W Cashmore will be in charge of the bingo games; Mrs. M A Kent and Mrs A. H Edwards the candies, and Mrs. T. McGimpsey and Mrs. Spurrier the ice cream. Mrs. E. G. Weston will be in charge of the gate receipts. There will be fortune telling, horse racing and other games

It is hoped that the many friends of the chapter and interested visitors will avail themselves of this opportunity of seeing one of Victoria's beautiful gardens and so help in the chapter's work.

RED CROSS

MARGARET JENKINS

The Margaret Jenkins unit will hold a silver tea at the home of Mrs. G. Anstey, 1844 Gonzales Avenue, on Friday from 3 to 5.30. Weather permitting, tea will be served on the lawn. Many attractions, games and competitions have been arranged. Mrs. G. Anstey, Mrs. G W Pottinger and Mrs. C. Shaw will receive the guests. Mrs P. Paulding, Mrs. W. Winsby, Mrs. O. Forbes, Mrs. O. Havercroft and Mrs F. Mulliner will pour tea. Mrs H M Cotter, Mrs McDonald and Mrs. C Hebden will be in charge of the Red Cross display. There will also be a Junior Red Cross display Mrs. H Cross and Molly Wright will be in charge of the silver collection. The social committee of the Margaret Jenkins branch will take charge of the tea. The treasure hunt will be in charge of Mrs. C. Carter and Mrs. Taylor. A chenille bedspread, donated by David Spencer Ltd., a table lamp, donated by the Standard Furniture, and plants donated by Mrs. Woodward, are to be used for the funds of the Red Cross. Mrs. Groves and Mrs. O'Brian will be in charge of the musical programme. [illegible] invited to attend

CALL FOR BLANKETS

Owing to a shortage of blankets at the present time in Britain, an urgent call has been sent Red Cross to help relieve the situation by procuring immediately as many blankets as possible, to be used for the bombed out air raid sufferers. The local branch will gratefully receive new or clean used blankets in good condition. These should be sent to the distributing centre, Belmont Building, Humboldt Street. Mrs. E Hamber has kindly sent a substantial cheque for the purchase of blankets. The honorary treasurer will be glad to receive donations for this object. An excellent response was made to the recent appeal, but many more blankets are needed, and will be shipped overseas without delay

TO HOLD TEA

The convener of the George Jay Red Cross unit, Mrs Pauli, announces that the ladies of the unit have arranged to hold a tea in the auditorium of the school, on Wednesday from 2:30 to 4 30 p m There will be attractively arranged stalls including home cooking, candy, ice cream and superfluities.

An interesting programme of singing and dancing will be given by pupils of the school under the direction of Mesdames Noble and Harris. A contest will take place for which many valuable prizes have been donated. A cordial invitation is given to all interested in helping the Red Cross, especially residents of the district.

SOOKE

A delightful garden party was held at the home of Mr and Mrs. Gregory Smith, "The Nook," Saseenos, on Wednesday when a substantial sum was raised for the Red Cross. Tea was served at prettily decorated tables, and a home cooking and novelty stall drew much attention A contest for dart throwing was much enjoyed, the winners being Mrs. A. J. Syrett, and Mr. George Throup Those holding the lucky tickets in the contest were Rev. H M. Bolton, Mrs. J. Martin, Mrs. N S. O. Watson, Mrs J. Bowen-Colthurst, and Mrs. Cogswell. The hostess, Mrs. Gregory Smith, was ably assisted by the executive of the Red Cross and other interested members of the organization.

Going to Banff on Tuesday

—By Colonist Staff Photographer.

MISS MARY CAMPBELL

Photographed in the garden of her home on Linden Avenue. Miss Campbell will leave on Tuesday for Banff, where she will spend the Summer.

Many Attractions Are Planned for P.-T.A. Garden Fete

Mrs. G Bewley and Mrs T Lumsden, Jr., co-conveners of the tea being held at the home of Mrs R. W. Mayhew, on Wednesday, announce arrangements are now complete The affair is under the auspices of the Willows and Monterey Parent-Teacher Associations and the Princess Elizabeth Fund for bombed children of Britain will benefit from the proceeds Mrs. Mayhew will be assisted by the two presidents, Mrs A. L. Stevenson and Mrs. H A Beckwith, in welcoming the guests.

Tea will be served in the dining-room and on the veranda overlooking the sea. Assisting Mrs Lumsden and Mrs. Bewley will be Mrs G G McKenzie, Mrs. George Hartley, Mrs A Glenday, Mrs J. H Fulton, Mrs J M Gelling Miss E Cooper, Jr., Mrs Noel and Mrs. T Kay. Parcels of refreshments may be left at 'Hampshire House," Oak Bay Avenue, before 1 p m on Wednesday.

Mrs. J A Barry and Mrs Stevenson, in charge of the sale of tickets, announce that only a few remain, which may be reserved by telephoning G 3451 or G 4791. Admission without tickets may be arranged at the party with Mrs. W A Spence and Mrs. R. B Young, who will be at the receipt of custom.

THE PROGRAMME

The programme arranged by Mrs W R. Guno and Mrs Fred Wright will include vocal solos by Miss Dorothy Farley, Miss Shirley Gunn and Miss Dorothy Parsons; piano solos by Miss Phyllis Pritchard and Miss June Richards, and dances by students of the Wynne Shaw School of Dancing Accompanists will be Mrs Fred Wright Miss Dumbleton and Mrs. F. A Sparks

Bouquets made by Mrs F H Hurley and Mrs W. Prevost will be sold by Beverley Dutot, Martha Philpott and Joan Morgan A room has been set aside for fortune telling

Posters made by Mrs J H Fulton, Mr O C. Dingwall Isobel Harper Joan Morgan, Elizabeth Foot, Marion Chapman and Doreen Campbell are being displayed by Oak Bay merchants and by the Oak Bay buses which pass the gates of "Kah-Na-Way."

Tea will be served from 3 to 5 30 o'clock

War Work Will Be Demonstrated in Show

Women will do their part in helping to stimulate interest in the recruiting campaign when, on Friday night from 8 to 9 o'clock more then 300 members of the Women's Auxiliary War Services will put on a "show" on Blanshard Street between Johnson and Yates Street. Tentative plans for the display were announced by Mrs. Alfred Carmichael chairman of the women's section of the Victoria Recruiting Committee

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I.O.D.E. Activities

Gonzales Chapter

The monthly meeting of Gonzales Chapter will be held at headquarters on Tuesday at 10 20 p.m.

Douglas Chapter

The Sir James and Lady Douglas Chapter will meet on Thursday afternoon at 2 30 o'clock at headquarters. A good attendance is requested.

Camosun Chapter

The Camosun Chapter will hold its monthly meeting on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at headquarters in the Union Building Members are requested to note change in the time.

Women's Institutes

LAKE HILL BRANCH

The Lake Hill Branch will meet tomorrow at 2.30 p.m. and members are reminded to bring donations for the Bombed-Out Baby Hospital in England. Friends and members are cordially invited to attend.

COLWOOD

A successful "pot luck" luncheon was held by the Colwood Institute on Thursday in the Colwood Hall It was decided to hold a similar luncheon monthly in aid of the Churchill fund.

During the sewing bee held by the "willing workers" of the institute on the same day, eight comforters were completed and three cases and "eighty-five pounds of coats" packed for the Overseas League In less than a year, this group has furnished eighty-five comforters for overseas.

Engagement Is Announced

—Photo by Meyers.

MISS KATHLEEN HOPKINS

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hopkins, 3321 Tennyson Avenue, announce the engagement of their elder daughter, Kathleen, to Mr William E. Sims, only son of Mr. E. S. Sims, Carey Road, and the late Mrs. Sims. The wedding will take place in the Oaklands Gospel Hall, Cedar Hill Road, on June 21 at 8 p.m.

Tag Day Is Successful

The Daughters of Pity tag day held yesterday in aid of the children's ward of the new wing of the Royal Jubilee Hospital, realized the sum of $231.04.

The committee in charge wishes to express its thanks to the taggers and to all those [illegible] making the tag day such a success In spite of the many other demands on the public, the sum realized this year was $1 more than last year.

Clubs-Societies

Home League

Major Nellie Bunnett, superintendent of the Receiving Home Annex of Grace Hospital, Vancouver, who is the week-end guest of the Victoria West Home League, will preside at a programme given by the sisters tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock in the Salvation Army Hall, corner of Catherine and Edward Streets This will be in aid of the Mothers' Hospital, Clapton, London, England, which has been bombed, but partial work is still being carried on there War emergency hospitals have been opened and patients transferred to what was a baronial hall in the Midlands and a castle in the Peak Country, having been loaned to the Salvation Army for this purpose. Major Chrissie Knott, who visited Victoria when on the staff of Winnipeg Grace Hospital, is in charge. There will be no admission charge for tomorrow night's concert, but articles to complete a shipment of layettes will be gratefully accepted

Daughters of St. George

Princess Patricia Lodge, No. 238 Daughters of St George, will hold its annual garden party next Wednesday at 2.30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. A. Restell, 2307 Blanshard Street. The various stalls will include plain and fancy work, home cooking, candy, afternoon teas and bingo The general convener, Mrs J. Beadle, and her committee, extend a cordial invitation to all members and their friends to attend. On Friday, the regular business meeting wil be held in the S.O.E. Hall at 8 p.m. when the installation of the new officers will take place.

St. Paul's W.A.

St Paul's Naval and Garrison Church Branch of the W.A. will hold a Summer sale and afternoon tea in the grounds of the church house (indoors if the weather is unfavorable) on Tuesday, June 3, from 3 to 5 p m There will be the usual attractions, such as home cooking, candy, sewing, flower stall and competitions for all. A short musical programme has also been arranged. It is sincerely hoped that all interested in the work of this church will make an effort to attend. Funds are urgently needed

Canadian Legion W.A.

The monthly meeting of the W A to Prince Edward Branch of the Canadian Legion will be held on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock in the committee room of the Legion Hall, Langford. The executive will meet at 7 30 p.m. On Monday, June 8 at 8 p.m., the W.A. will hold a shower of candy, chocolate, sugar cigarettes and comforts for the forces under General Wavell in North Africa. Mrs. D M. Jarvis will give an account of her work, collecting "Bundles for Britain."

Hollywood L.A.

Mrs F Urquhart, 107 Cook Street, will be hostess to the Hollywood Sunday School Ladies' Aid on Monday afternoon, June 9 Members are asked to note the change of date Arrangements will be made at the meeting for the Sunday school annual picnic, funds for which were raised at a successful Springtime tea held early in May.

First United W.A.

The Quadra Heights Group of First United Church will hold a silver tea and sale of home cooking at the home of Mrs W S Dawson, Saanich Road, on Wednesday, June 4, from 3 to 5:30 o'clock. There will be a short musical programme A special bus will leave town at 3 o'clock for Saanich Road.

C.W.L. Oak Bay Subdivision

The monthly meeting of the Altar Society of Our Lady of Lourdes Church and membership tea for the Oak Bay Subdivision of the C.W.L. are being held tomorrow at the home of Mrs. J. K Cornwall, 2273 Oak Bay Avenue. The business meeting is scheduled for 2 30 p.m and tea will be served at 4 o'clock

Little Helpers

The Lake Hill Little Helpers will hold a garden party on Thursday at the home of Mrs W. McGill, 1170 Tattersall Drive. There will be novelty and candy stalls, games and contests and tea will be served during the afternoon. The proceeds will be in aid of the Bombed-Out Kits

St. Alban's W.A.

The Senior W.A of St. Alban's will hold a closing meeting of the season tomorrow at 2 30 o'clock. Mrs. J. W. England, from Qu'Appelle Diocese, will address the meeting. Members of the Women's Guild and all others interested are invited to attend.

St. Alban's Ladies' Guild

St. Alban's Ladies' Guild met recently and plans were made to hold the annual picnic at Elk Lake on Tuesday, July 8 All members are invited to attend the W.A. meeting tomorrow afternoon at 2 30 in the hall. Mrs. England will be the speaker.

Pro Patria W.A.

A card party was held on Friday in the Victoria W.I. rooms, when the winners were Mr. Constable, Mrs. J. Newberry and Mrs. W. Campbell. The monthly meeting will be held on Tuesday at 8 p.m. and members are asked to bring in their subscriptions to the Lord Mayor's Fund.

St. Matthew's W.A.

The Junior W.A of St Matthew's Church, Langford, will hold a tea and sale of work on Saturday, June 7, from 3 to 3 p m at the home of Mrs O. T Phipps Station Road Langford. Mrs. Keane, diocesan junior secretary, will be present

St. Matthias' Guild

St. Matthias' Women's Guild will hold a strawberry tea in the church hall on Thursday, commencing at 3 p.m. There will be a sale of miscellaneous articles and candy Bridge tables will be arranged for those who wish to play.

Junior C.W.L.

The Junior Catholic Women's League is holding its annual banquet at Loretto Hall on Thursday, June 3, at 6 30 p.m. All members and those wishing to join the league are cordially invited to attend

Langford C.W.L.

Under the auspices of the Langford Subdivision of the Catholic Women's League, a silver tea and musical programme will be held on Thursday, June 5, from 3 to 3 p.m in the Legion Hall, Langford

Air Services W.A.

The Women's Auxiliary to the Air Services announce that Mrs. Pownall, 1355 Victoria Avenue, was winner of the Dresden plate quilt in the recent contest conducted by the W.A.

Rose Tea

The Oak Bay United Church W.A East Group will hold a rose tea tomorrow at the home of Mrs F R G Dredge, 1350 St. Patrick Street, from 3 to 5 30 p.m.

Rockland Park W.C.T.U.

The monthly meeting of Rockland Park W.C.T.U. will be held at the home of Mrs F Laing, 1122 Ormond Street, tomorrow, at 2 30 p.m.

W.B.A. Review

The regular meeting of the Women's Benefit Association, Review No 1, will be held in the Royal Bank Hall at 8 o'clock tomorrow night.

Oak Bay United W.A.

The Oak Bay United Church Women's Association will meet on Thursday in the church parlor at 2 45 p.m.

Ministering Circle

The Ministering Circle of the King's Daughters will meet in their rooms, Fort Street, on Friday at 3 p.m.

St. John's W.A.

The evening branch of St. John's W.A will meet on Tuesday at 8 15 p.m in the guild room.

P.-T.A. Activities

MONTEREY

The Monterey group will hold the annual meeting on Tuesday at 8 p.m. in the school auditorium, when reports of committee conveners will be given and the election and installation of officers held There will be no social gathering after the meeting because of the garden party, which will be held on Wednesday at the home of Mrs Mayhew

JAMES BAY

The James Bay Branch will meet on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock in the South Park School This will be the annual general meeting when the election of officers will take place Miss Crickmay will speak on the prevention of stammering among school children. At the close of the meeting, refreshments will be served All members are asked to attend

TILLICUM

An enjoyable and successful strawberry and ice cream social was held on Wednesday afternoon by the Tillicum branch, when the sum of $91.50 was realized at the second annual strawberry festival. Afternoon tea was served with Mrs H Levings and Mrs T. Wheny reading the tea cups A delightful programme of Maypole, folk dancing and singing was given by the pupils, under the direction of Miss E. G. Neil, assisted by Misses C. Wright, J Lorimer, E Stayan, J Hull and M Holden Mrs D. Berry won the special prize The social was convened by Mrs. As Moore, and Mesdames E Western, A. Bendrodt, K Smith, and G W. Bennison were in charge of the tea. Ice cream and strawberries were served by Mesdames R Richmond, A Passmore, and N. O'Neil Mrs. E Nash was in charge of the tickets. Miss J. Lorimer's class, with John Peat as captain, won honors for selling the most tickets

RECITAL HELD

Marion MacGovern, Quadra Street, presented her pupils in a piano recital at the studio yesterday evening. Solos, duets and trios were given by the students, also the toy orchestra with Eleanor Fletcher conducting and Jean Robertson accompanying played numbers, which were much enjoyed Little Edith McGill was the guest violinist, playing "Norwegian Dance" (Greig). Those taking part were Joan Archer Christie, Irene and Bobbie Smith, Jean and Anne Robertson, Carol, Pat and Doris Thomas, Eleanor Fletcher, Norma and Norman Balfour, Marjorie Jones, Margaret Callan, Trudie McGill, Gordon Copp and Gladys Baxter. At the close of the recital ice cream was served

LAKE HILL CENTRE

The Lake Hill Community Centre will hold a bridge and "500" card party tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock. The proceeds will be for the repairs to the Community Hall. Good prizes are offered and refreshments will be served.

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Social Activities and Notes of Personal Interest

Social and Personal

Received Pretty Gifts

Honoring Miss Louise Marsh, whose marriage to Mr. John Woods takes place this week, Mrs. F. V. Richardson entertained at her home, 742 Hampshire Road, on Friday [illegible] ception rooms were beautifully decorated with early Summer flowers to carry out a white bridal motif. Upon their arrival, the bride-to-be and her twin sister, Mrs. Helen Hull, who were celebrating their birthday, were presented with corsage bouquets of cream roses by little Patricia Richardson, niece of the groom-elect. Mrs. R. W Marsh, mother of the guest of honor, also received flowers. Miss Marsh was given a basket trimmed with white and silver and filled with many gifts. Several games were played and prizes awarded. A buffet supper was served later. The table, coverd with a Madeira lace cloth, was centred with a dainty arrangement of white Alpine flowers in a silver bowl and lighted by white tapers in silver holders. The guests were Mesdames R. W. Marsh, A. N. Taylor, D. Woods, J. Chambers, R. W. McBratney, D. Porter, Hodgson, H Hull, J Small and Misses Hope Woods, Jean Marsh, Marjorie Coates, Peggy Silburn, Jean Taylor and Jean Morley.

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Presentation by Office Staff

Miss Peggy Stanley, whose marriage to Mr. William H. Hayward will take place next week, was honored by the members of Western Air Command office staff yesterday morning, when Mr. T. E. Mackie, treasury officer, presented her with a trilite lamp, and extended the good wishes of all the members of the staff. Corporal W Dee, on behalf of the works buildings branch, presented Miss Stanley with an electric clock. On Friday night Miss Stanley was guest of honor at the home of Miss Peggy Bishop, Queens Avenue, when she was presented with a ruby crystal cocktail set by the girls of the Western Air Command staff. During the [illegible] much amusement was caused by the original scrapbook the girls had made for Miss Stanley, with pictures and slogans from magazines. Those present were Misses Muriel Petherbridge, Violet Holland, Irene Scobel, Maude McCoy, Shirley Campbell, Myrtle Foster, Marjorie McConnell, K. Clarke, Esther Allman, Barbara Godfrey, Barbara Hulke, Margaret Tonman, Maureen Kendall, Annie McLean, Florence Cromwell, Jessie Dron and Peggy Bishop.

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Gifts in "Wedding Cake"

Miss Florence Atchison, whose marriage to Mr. D. M. Dunn takes place this week, was the guest of honor at a miscellaneous shower given at the home of Mrs. B. Attwood, McClure Street. A guessing contest was played after the arrival of all the guests, the winner being Mrs. A. MacCallum. Mrs. D. Smith presided when a buffet supper was served from a table centred with pink rosebuds in a cut-glass vase and lighted by pink candles in matching holders. Following supper the bride-to-be was presented with a cleverly-made three-tiered wedding cake in which her pretty and useful gifts were concealed. This was accompanied by a corsage bouquet of pink rosebuds and carnations. The guests were Mesdames B. Attwood, L. Clements, D. Smith, V. D. Atchison, Norman Duckworth, A. MacCallum, F. Griffin and Misses Myrtle Ross, Joyce and Kathleen Hopkins, Marjorie Chittenden, Stella and Isobel Atchison.

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Linen Shower

Mrs. J. Wright and Mrs. W. Webber were hostesses at a linen shower given on Friday in honor of Miss Florence Wilson, a June bride-to-be, at the home of Mrs. W. Webber, 1205 Johnson Street. The many lovely gifts were presented in a pink and yellow box. She was also presented with a corsage bouquet of Talisman roses. Games were played during the evening. A buffet supper was served, th table being covered with a lace cloth and centred with a bowl of blue bells and pinks. The guests included: Mesdames J. Connor, M. Cherneff, V. Clarke, R. Forbes, R. Waters, Martin, Venables, Reynolds, Telford, I Connor, Horn, Pimlott, E. Creed, W. Watson, W. Webber, I. Wright, J. Gray, G. Wilkonson; Misses Dorothy Gay, Helen Roberts, Grace Sellers, Jennie Telford, Beatrice Roberts and Thelma Reynolds.

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Mantel Clock Presented

A surprise party was arranged in the private dining-room of Terry's on Friday evening in honor of Miss Bunny McColl and Petty Officer Samuel Hooley, R.C.N.V.R., whose marriage took place last evening in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church. The surprise party was arranged by fellow petty officers of P.O. Hooley and a handsome mantel clock was presented to him and his bride-to-be. The table was decorated with bowls of Summer flowers and the toast to the young couple was proposed by Chief Petty Officer Erickson, the guests joining in singing "For They Are Jolly Good Fellows." After supper, dancing was enjoyed. P.O. Tom Patterson was master of ceremonies.

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Miscellaneous Shower

Mrs. George Robinson, Jr., Elk Lake was hostess at a miscellaneous shower for Miss Victoria Gleason last week. On her arrival, the bride-to-be was presented with a corsage bouquet of Sweetheart roses, and her mother, Mrs. Gleason, with red roses. The gifts were concealed in a wishing-well, and handed to the guest of honor by little Shirley Robinson. The other guests were Mesdames George Robinson Sr., Jack Woods, J. L. Mosher, W. Ibbetson, Howard English, Walter Liddiard, J. Campbell, and Misses Pearl Kinnaird and Blanche Armour.

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Bridal Shower

Mrs. C. P. Cummings, Doncaster Drive, was hostess at a cup and saucer shower for Miss Kathleen Hopkins, who is to be married this month, on Wednesday evening. Others invited included Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hopkins, Mr. and Mrs. A. Jenner, Misses Dorothy and Ora Pealouse, Kay Fowler, Mary Thomson, Vera Carter, Violet Hearn, Joyce Hopkins, Agnes McMuldroch, Janet Smart, Grace McKerracher, Mr. W Bimms and Mr. Kenneth Cummings. Little Barry and Valerie Jenner, dressed as Jack and Jill, carried in a pail containing the gifts.

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Entertain Club

The Misses Violet and Gertrude Day entertained the members of the Venture Club recently at their home, 3451 Cook Street. The evening was spent playing court whist, the winners being Misses Vivienne Nock, and Kathleen Davey. Refreshments were served from a lace-covered table with a silver basket of roses in the centre. The guests were Misses Florence Murkar, Vivienne Nock, Elsie Finlayson, Helen Gwilt, Kathleen Davey, Louise Rogers and Lillian Tait.

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At Oak Bay

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Berrick, formerly of Yokohama, who have been spending a few weeks at the Old Charming Inn since returning to Victoria from California, have taken Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Wootton's house on Monterey Avenue for several months. Mrs. Wootton and her children are staying with her sister, Mrs. J. U. Copeman, 1196 Monterey Avenue, and expect to leave this month for Prince Edward Island to spend the Summer.

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Gift for Bride-to-Be

A surprise was arranged on Friday for Miss Louise Marsh, when the tenants of the Union Building gathered in that building to present to her, in honor of her approaching marriage to Mr. John Woods, a case of silver flatware in the Lovelace pattern. Miss Marsh responded charmingly to the best wishes, expressed by Miss Ainley Gordon, on behalf of those present and those who were unable to attend the presentation.

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Presentation Gifts

Among the beautiful gifts received by Mr. John Tippett and Miss Peggy Silburn, prior to their marriage last evening, were a pair of Hudson's Bay point blankets, from the Hudson's Bay Co., and a handsome silver tea service from their fellow associates on the staff. A waffle iron was presented by the 5th B.C. Coast Brigade Band.

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Leaves Hospital Today

The many friends of James A. Rowe, 208 Robertson Street, who has been a patient in the Royal Jubilee Hospital, will be pleased to learn that he has recovered sufficiently to return to his home today.

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Leaves for Alberta

Mr. Claude Cole, Langford, left recently for Heisler, Alberta, where he was called by the death of his father.

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Leave for Saskatchewan

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Smith and small daughter, Carroll, of Langford, left recently to spend the Summer in Saskatchewan with relatives.

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Hostess at Tea

Mrs. R. H. Edgell was hostess at tea on Friday afternoon at her home in Uplands.

The largest buffalo herd in the world is in Elk Island National Park, near Edmonton.

—By Colonist Staff Photographer.

MISS AUDREY WOOD

The engagement is announced of Audrey St. Danys, only daughter of Mrs. Sidney Wood, 2321 Windsor Road, Oak Bay, and the late Mr. Sidney Wood, late superviser of Royal Bank premises for Saskatchewan, to Mr. Eugene Maurice Johnson, Singapore, only son of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Johnson, of "Dottlands," Royal Oak. The wedding will take place at the end of June.

Mrs. Denton's Pupils Appear in Recital

Pupils of Mrs. Annie Denton were heard in a recital on Friday evening in the A.O.F. Hall before a capacity audience. The young performers showed good technique and sense of rhythm.

The following took part: Eddy Burton, Sylvia Walsh, Frances Logan, Neil King, Winona Hilton, Patsy Pickup, Evelyn Hilton, Mavis Barnes, Violet Parker, Mabel McAllister, Joy Bimm, Gloria Richmond, Constance Henson, Alice Moore, Gloria King, Beryl McDonald, Peter Sinclair, Dorothy Simon, Richard E. Ritchie, Maryan E. Levings, Ellen Brayshaw, Mavis Ockenden, Kathleen Drysdele, Eleanor Lehman, Joyce Derry, Shirley Ockenden, Enid Middleton, Robert Henson and Ada R. Burt.

Rev. T. H. McAllister addressed the students and presented certificates of the Royal School of Music London, to the following for piano: Sylvia Agnes Walsh, Mavis Noreen Barnes, Winona Hilton, Gloria King, Frances Lorraine Logan, Violet Lois Parker, Christobel Pember (Halifax), Betty Roff (Sidney), June Collier, Maryan E. Levings, Dorothy Victoria Simon, Ada Rose Burt, and for singing, Enid Middleton and Ada Rose Burt. Rev. T. H. McAllister was presented with a bound edition of Macaulay's Essays, by Patsy Pickup, and on behalf of the pupils, Eddy Burton presented Mrs. Denton with a studio clock, a corsage bouquet of Talisman roses and a purse.

Wedding Celebrated Here

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MR. AND MRS. ROYSTON JOHN WHITTLE

Whose Marriage Took Place on May 28 in Belmont United Church, Rev. Bryce Wallace Officiating. The Bride Was Formerly Miss Kathleen Mildred Knott.

Bridge Party Realizes $40

The Solarium Junior League raised the sum of $40 yesterday afternoon, when eight tables of bridge were in play at the home of Mrs. Curtis Sampson. The fashion show and garden party that was planned for yesterday in conjunction with the bridge party was postponed until Wednesday, due to the rainy weather.

The bridge party under the convenership of Mrs. Arthur Baker was such a success that the committee hopes that all interested friends will support the fashion show and garden party with the same generosity.

Weddings

SAILS—MUNSIE

The marriage of Mary Elizabeth, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Munsie, Caroline Apartments, Cook Street, to Lance-Bombardier Robert F. Sails, R.C.A., elder son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sails, Winnipeg, Manitoba, was solemnized at 11 o'clock yesterday morning.

The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a French blue dressmaker suit, with a pink hat and gloves, and a corsage bouquet of Sweetheart roses and gardenias. The bridesmaid, Miss Betty Mae Cameron, was in a beige suit with brown accessories and a corsage bouquet of gardenias, and Bombardier D. L. E. Meredith, R.C.A., was best man.

The wedding breakfast, attended by members of the immediate families, was served at the home of the bride's parents, where the table was centred with the cake and decorated with vases of pale pink roses and white tapers.

Following a motor trip to Qualicum and other Up-Island points, L.-Bombardier and Mrs. Sails will take up residence at Langford Lake.

HOOLEY—McCOLL

The marriage took place last evening at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Rev. J. L. W. McLean officiating, when Georgina K. (Bunny), daughter of the late Mr. McColl and Mrs. G. McColl, Vancouver, became the bride of Petty Officer Samuel J. Hooley, R.C.N.V.R., son of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Hooley, Vancouver.

Given in marriage by her brother, Gunner Ian McColl, the bride looked beautiful in a redingote ensemble of Queen's blue crepe with white accessories. Her corsage bouquet was composed of gardenias. She was attended by Miss Beatrice Haddon, Vancouver, whose dress was of navy blue with navy and white accessories. Her corsage bouquet was composed of pink rosebuds. S. D. O. William Dohm, R.C.N., was best man.

The reception was held at the home of Mrs. E. Kushner, 1569 Esquimalt Road. The bride and groom welcomed the guests assisted by the bride's mother, Mrs. G. McColl, Vancouver, who wore a black and white ensemble, with matching hat and accessories and a corsage bouquet of pink carnations. The bride's table was beautifully arranged with rosebuds and the wedding cake held the place of honor. A white wedding bell hung from the chandelier.

Petty Officer and Mrs. Hooley will make their home in Victoria.

WONG—LOWE

The wedding took place last night of Rose Lee Lowe, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. K. Lowe, Wark Street, and Yuen Wong, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Kong Wong, 125 Cormorant Street. Rev. M. F. Leung officiated. The ceremony took place at the home of the groom's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. John Lowe, Pembroke Street.

The bride was given away by her cousin, Hoe Lowe, and was charming in a richly embroidered Chinese wedding gown, with a short tunic embroidered in a silver and red floral design, and floor-length red skirt. She wore an attractive arrangement of brightly colored flowers in her hair. The bridesmaid, Miss Virginia Chow, Duncan, was in a pale green afternoon frock, with a corsage bouquet of rosebuds and sweet peas.

After the ceremony, a reception was held when over ninety guests were welcomed. The toast to the bride was proposed by the father of the groom. During the evening, the bride cut the beautiful three-tier wedding cake.

After their honeymoon, the bride and groom will make their home in Victoria.

SAMMON—READ

The marriage of Olive Marion, only daughter of Major and Mrs. E. J. Read, 1025 Bewdley Avenue, to Staff-Sergeant Gerald Keith Sammon, R.C.A.M.C., son of Mr. E. A. Sammon, Haileybury, Ont., and the late Mrs. Sammon, was solemnized at 8 o'clock last evening at the home of the bride's parents by Captain the Rev. E. W. Horton, chaplain to the C.A.S.F.

In the absence of her father, the bride was given in marriage by her uncle, Mr. James Currie, and she wore a beige wool traveling suit with a green wool cape and turban, brown accessories and a corsage bouquet of Talisman roses. She was attended by her cousin, Miss Helen Eugenie Currie, in a frock of Queen's blue silk crepe with black and white accessories and a corsage bouquet of sweet peas, and Mr. John Currie was best man. Early Summer flowers and ferns were arranged in the house, and following the ceremony a buffet supper was served after the young couple had talked by phone to the bride's father, who is stationed at Military Headquarters, Regina, Sask.

The honeymoon is being spent on a tour of Vancouver Island and on their return, Staff-Sergeant and Mrs. Sammon will make their home in Esquimalt.

LINDLEY—LUFF

The wedding of Mamie Sylvia, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Luff, 1008 Collinson Street, and Mr. William Lindley, younger son of the late Mr. A. Lindley and Mrs. Lindley, 2718 Scott Street, was quietly conducted by Rev. Norman J. Crees in Fairfield United Church at 6 o'clock last evening.

The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a dressmaker suit in two shades of blue with matching accessories, and was attended by her sister, Mrs. E. Rigby, in a navy blue tailored suit with a blue and white hat, and both wore corsage bouquets of pink rosebuds. Mr. Rigby supported the bridegroom.

Following a family reception at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lindley left for a honeymoon on the Mainland, and will return to Victoria to live.

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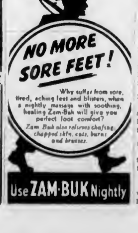

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North Saanich Opens Its Victory Loan Drive at Enthusiastic Rally

North Saanich opened its Victory Loan drive at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon with a spirited rally at Memorial Park, preceded by a parade of the three armed services [illegible] and patriotic organizations, headed by the band of the Royal Canadian Air Force. The parade formed at Sidney at 2.30 p.m., and marched to the park, where several hundred people had gathered in spite of cloudy weather.

A fine display of ceremonial arms by the 2nd Battalion of The Canadian Scottish Regiment and two squadrons of the Royal Canadian Air Force; a demonstration of a mobile searchlight battery and other mechanical units, and a march past by all units, including details from the Royal Canadian Navy, the North Saanich branch of the Canadian Legion, the Women's Service Corps, Girl Guides and North Saanich High School cadets, preceded the pledge flag ceremony.

VETERAN UNFURLS FLAG

After dedication of the emblem by Rev. T. R. Lancaster, chaplain to the North Saanich Branch of the Canadian Legion, the pledge flag was broken out on its standard by Col. C. W. Peck, V.C., in command of an honor guard of veterans of the conflict of 1914-1918. Cheers for Rt. Hon. Winston Churchill and the armed forces of the Crown rolled out over the grounds as the ceremony proceeded.

Though the naval portion of the display was curtailed due to the [illegible] jackets shared with the R.C.A.F. and the Canadian Scottish unit credit for a smart turnout, and an interesting display of modern arms. A three-inch mortar, camouflaged anti-aircraft units, a Bren gun, a mobile searchlight unit, and a crash truck of the R.C.A.F. were demonstrated on the field. The R.C.A.F. Band rendered a lively programme of music.

QUOTA $100,000

Speaking in support of the Victory Loan drive, Sandham Graves stressed the meaning of the ceremony. Mr. Graves said, in part:

"The need of the moment in Canada is for unity, purpose and drive. We must all work for unity. That is a collective responsibility, as well as an individual obligation. Our purpose is clear. It is to win this war. We have proved to ourselves that courage alone is not enough. Those who fight for freedom must be given the tools necessary for their task. It is there we need drive. The Victory Loan is part of that drive.

"It is little enough that we are asked to do, in comparison with those who at this minute are risking their lives and their all. We are asked to drill our dollars; to make them fall into line and march for us towards the effective completion of our purpose. We are not even asked to give, but merely to lend, and upon the best security I know, the Dominion of Canada itself.

ARE IN SAFE HANDS

"It is not without significance that we have before us here today both the old and the new; veterans who helped to win Canada's battle honors in the field, and those who have come forward to take their place in this, the same cause. I cannot tell you how proud the veterans feel of the men who wear the dark blue, the light blue and the khaki of the three fighting services today. We know that our battle honors, and they are nowhere surpassed, are in safe hands.

"That, however, is not enough. We must all find our part, and do it to the best of our ability. We must support those who are in the front line. If dollars will do it, we must have those dollars. Here in Saanich the aim of this drive is $1,000,000. Of that sum, North Saanich and Gulf Islands areas have been asked to contribute $100,000. Looking at your pledge flag from the last conflict, I have no doubt that you will fill your quota. Make your dollars fight!"

TENDERS THANKS

P. J. Baker, chairman of the North Saanich unit, presided, handling the big, open-air rally with facility and ease. He extended the thanks of the gathering to the armed forces contributing instructive displays to its success and predicted that North Saanich would win its honor flag in the drive. Major G. S. Yardley, organizer for all of Saanich and the Gulf Islands, closed the meeting in a few well-chosen words.

Details from the Royal Canadian Navy were under the command of Lieut.-Cmdr. Kingscote. Major Alex McLennan was in charge of the 2nd Battalion, Canadian Scottish Regiment. Flying Officer McNeil commanded Royal Canadian Air Force squadrons and the R.C.A.F. Band. Col. C. W. Peck, V.C., was at the head of the veterans, many of whom participated in the ceremony.

Will Launch Loan Drive

MRS. ERIC W. HAMBER

Will unfurl the Honor Pledge Flag of the Victoria Division of the Victory Loan campaign at a flag-raising ceremony to be held on the Causeway, corner of Belleville and Government Streets, at 12.30 o'clock noon tomorrow. Other principals in the ceremony will be Hon. T. D. Pattullo, honorary chairman of the Provincial Committee; Very Rev. Spencer Elliott, Dean of Columbia, who will offer the prayers; and Herbert Anscomb, M.P.P., who will be chairman.

ENGAGEMENTS

CHETTLEBURGH—HAUGHTON

Mrs. J. S. Gooch, Beoacre, Metchosin, announces the engagement of her niece, Kathleen Ursult Haughton, eldest daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Haughton, to Staff-Sgt. Terence Robins Chettleburgh, 17th Searchlight Battery, 5th B.C. Coast Brigade, only son of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Chettleburgh, 1330 Monterey Avenue. The wedding will take place quietly in July.

WATSON—McKAY

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. MacKay, 41f Heather Street, announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Edith Evelyn, to Mr. Gordon Lewis Watson, youngest son of the late Mr. and Mrs. T. Watson, Victoria. The wedding will take place early in July.

ANDERSON—ANDERSON

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Anderson, 2217 Vancouver Street, announce the engagement of their only daughter, Doreen Mary, to Mr. Gordon Hamilton Anderson, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson, Whitehorse, Yukon. The wedding will take place quietly in the middle of June.

MOWAT—WHITE

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. White, 1745 St. Ann Street, announce the engagement of their eldest daughter Fanny Elizabeth, to Mr. William H. Mowat, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. Mowat, 3440 Seaton Road. The wedding will take place quietly at the end of June.

ARMY UNITS ON DISPLAY

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Later," "Step Up and Step Out, in a Uniform"—interspersed the long parade column, making a silent but trenchant appeal to young men scattered among the lines of citizens crowding every block.

MECHANIZED UNITS

Highlighting the mechanized detachments were the three 75 mm. field guns drawn by armored artillery tractors, and the giant searchlight complete with its own truck-mounted power plant. The signal service repair unit, with panel lorries and motorcycle dispatch riders also came in for much interested comment.

The mechanized units of the Canadian Scottish underlined the changed conditions of infantry warfare. Mounted on trucks, Bren guns and mortars, with steel-helmeted crews manning them, looked deadly and business-like as they rolled past silently on huge rubber tires. There were trucks with barbed wire entanglements, battalion signallers with lamps blinking out the Morse code, and examples of camouflage and men equipped to cope with gas attacks.

City police co-operated with military police in keeping the traffic lanes clear while the column wound along busy thoroughfares. Motorcycles went ahead to show the way.

Leading the parade was the brass band of the 5th Brigade, while three pipers of the Canadian Scottish played the infantrymen on the march. The bands of the 3rd Canadian Scottish (R.F.) and the 5th Brigade (R.F.) were stationed at points along the route to entertain spectators waiting for the parade to pass.

BRITISH FORCES ENTER BAGDAD

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and Saudi Arabia, Grobba secretly returned to Bagdad when the Rashid Ali began his coup.

Officials here chose to regard as "most unlikely" reports that Grobba and the Rashid Ali had taken with them the six-year-old King Feisal II as a possible hostage for future bargaining with Britain.

However, a Havas (French news agency) dispatch from Bagdad said the boy king and the self-styled regent, Sharat, named by Rashid Ali to act for young Feisal, were in Rashid Ali's party when it crossed the Iran frontier on Friday.

The Havas dispatch said Youns Sebhoul, military governor of Bagdad, who resigned after a few hours in office, followed Rashid Ali on Saturday.

Arshad el Umari, mayor and head of the Interior Security Commission, told diplomats at the Iraq capital that "constitutional" government would be re-established as soon as possible; that hostilities between Britain and Iraq had bad no reason for occurring and would be terminated since the British had guaranteed the independence of the country and the honor of the army.

A reliable British source here commented that the Rashid Ali's flight to Iran rather than to the German base at Mosul "shows the faith he places in the protection the Germans can give him."

This was followed quickly by reliable reports via Cairo that the German planes were flying out also, but it was not disclosed wither they were bound.

Hitler, they say, is saving petrol. His airplanes have only to come over here. Ours have to go to Germany and back.

Strawberries to Be Popularized Here This Week

This is Strawberry Week! A period set aside by the strawberry festival committee, composed of members of the Saanich Board of Trade and the Tourist Trade Group of the Chamber of Commerce, to make Victorians strawberry-conscious. The week officially opened yesterday and will conclude on Saturday.

Special advertising campaigns are being carried on by the committee and it is hoped to boost considerably the sale of Saanich berries during the next seven days. Service clubs are co-operating in the campaign at their luncheon meetings and will hear speakers on the topic.

Tomorrow young ladies will appear on the downtown streets with trays of luscious berries and will distribute them among shoppers.

MELBOURNE, May 31 (AP).—Prime Minister Menzies returned today to his home city here, and was escorted from the rail terminal by a military band to the town hall, where he was greeted by a large and enthusiastic gathering of citizens.

Mr. Menzies addressed the crowd, describing his impressions of Libya and Britain and paying tribute to American sympathy for bombed British civilians.

Girl Guide Notes

WEST VICTORIA

The First West Victoria Guide Company will hold a penny fair tomorrow at 7.30 p.m. in the Wolf Cubs Hall, 365 Menzies Street. The proceeds will be for the wool fund for war work. A cordial invitation is extended to the public.

TORCH HAS REACHED PORTAGE LA PRAIRIE

BRANDON, Man., May 31 (CP).—The bronze torch of victory, symbol of Canada's determination to supply the tools of war necessary to finish the job, was dedicated here today by Rt. Rev. W. W. N. Thomas, Anglican Bishop of Brandon, during an impressive ceremony before the City Hall.

Following the ceremonies here the torch was taken to Portage la Prairie, Man., 100 miles East, for dedication services later today.

Premier T. D. Pattullo Speaks in Support of Victory Loan

"NOWHERE, I am sure, is there a better appreciation of the crisis which confronts the Empire than in our Province of British Columbia; nor a warmer or more personal sympathy for the people of Britain in the ordeal which they have been called upon to endure. In this Victory Loan we are given an opportunity to offer very tangible assistance," Premier Pattullo declared yesterday, in support of Canada's drive to raise $600,000,000 for war purposes.

"We are engaged upon a war in which there can be no compromise. Nothing will protect humanity from a recurrence but complete and absolute victory for our arms. To secure that victory we must provide the tools, and to provide them is the object of this Loan. We are not asked to give, we are asked to lend: to 'go long' on the British Empire, so that we may be free to live our lives to our own pattern. The issue at stake is no less than our survival as a free people. We must not fail," Premier Pattullo said.

Wedding Is Set for June 21

MR. L. HORNSBY

Photo by Victoria Studio.

MISS HAZEL CLARK

Mrs. M. A. Clark, Shirley, B.C., announces the engagement of her third daughter, Hazel Jeannetta, to Mr. Leslie Hornaby, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Hornaby, Victoria. The wedding will take place on June 21 at the Metropolitan United Church at 8.30 p.m.

PROTESTS AGAINST POLICY OF TREASON

LONDON, May 31 (CP).—Free French headquarters announced today that the French Minister to Bolivia, M. Grandin de Leprevier, has sent in his resignation to the Vichy Government in order to join Gen. Charles de Gaulle's movement.

It said that by this gesture Leprevier "wishes to protest against the agreements between Darlan and Hitler which open up the doors of Syria to Germany and against the policy of treason now practised in full daylight by the Vichy Government."

JUST A REMINDER

After his first lesson in saluting, the young recruit went in search of some practise.

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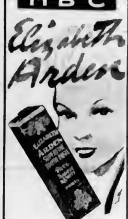

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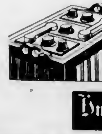

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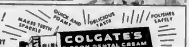

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In Woman's Realm

More Jam to Be Made by Women Here

A letter from Lady Reading, say- [illegible] gift of jam was appreciated in Great Britain, where the jam ration is one-half pound per person per month, has been received and Victoria women are taking steps to organize another jam-making campaign this season.

Last year the Local Council of Women undertook to make jam with surplus fruit which might otherwise have been wasted, and with the co-operation of the berry growers of Saanich and the Red Cross, about 3,000 pounds was made, under the convenership of Mrs. A. E. Hopkins. At a meeting held in Red Cross headquarters on Thursday afternoon, with Brigadier-General J. G. Austin presiding, a committee was again formed to organise the effort this year. Mrs. A P. Rayment is convener, Mrs. J. F. McNaught assistant convener, and Mrs. A. E. Hopkins, Mrs. William Peden, Mrs. N. Kelly, Mrs. H. P. Hodges and Mr. W. J. Dunn (Keating) and Colonel R S Worsley constitute the committee. The co-operation of the Local Council, Women's Institutes and Red Cross units will be solicited.

It was reported that all the jam put up in cans last year has been shipped overseas. The small surplus, which is in jars difficult to ship overseas because of their varying sizes, will be distributed by the Red Cross among the Solarium, the Naval Hospital at Esquimalt and the Military Hospitals at Esquimalt and Patricia Bay, to the Family Welfare Association for the benefit of soldiers' families, and some to the Red Cross Outpost Hospital at Cecil Lake, Peace River.

Visiting Her Parents Here

DR. JANET HARDY

Who has arrived from Montreal for a short visit to her parents, Dr. and Mrs. D. M. Baillie, Carberry Gardens, before taking up her appointment at the Children's Memorial Hospital in Montreal. Dr. Hardy recently received the degree of M.D.C.M. at McGill University. She was educated at Norfolk House School, Victoria, and Westonbert School, Gloucester, England. She received the degree of B.A. at the University of British Columbia in 1937.

Weddings

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ROBERTSON—PHILLIPS

Mr. Emerson David Roy Robertson, of the R.C.A.F., and Miss Winnifred May Phillips, of Victoria, were quietly married at the United Church Parsonage, Sidney, on May 24 by Rev. D. M. Perley. Mr. Francis H. Pully was best man while the bride was supported by her sister, Miss Janet Phillips, of Victoria.

CARDIN—BEDDINGTON

The marriage of Marion, younger daughter of Mr and Mrs. W. Beddington, 3160 Davin Road, to Mr. Victor Joseph Cardin, son of Mr. D Cardin and the late Mrs. Cardin, Wawota, Sask., was solemnized at 8 o'clock last evening by Mgr. A. O Baker in the Bishop's House.

The bride was given away by her father and wore a slim-fitting floor-length gown of white satin crepe with long sleeves, and a fingertip veil arranged beneath a cluster of orange blossoms. Flame and white snapdragons, roses and sweet peas composed the bridal bouquet.

Miss Pauline Gibbs, the bridesmaid, was gowned in "mist" blue silk jersey with a rose girdle and insets of rose in the sleeves, and her small rose hat was trimmed with pink and blue flowers. She carried a bouquet of blue iris and pink snapdragons. Sergeant Roland Cardin, R.C.A.F., Calgary, was his brother's best man. At the reception held at the home of the bride's parents, fragrant roses predominated in the floral decorations, and pink tapers flanked the cake which centred the supper table.

Mrs. Beddington welcomed the guests in a Queen's blue redingote ensemble with navy blue accessories and a corsage bouquet of pink and white carnations, and receiving with her was the bridegroom's sister, Miss Rose Cardin, in a dusky rose dress with white accessories and pink carnations. The bride left in a dusty rose redingote with white accessories. Mr and Mrs Cardin will take up residence in their new home at View Royal.

In addition to the bridegroom's father, out-of-town guests at the wedding included Mr and Mrs. M Sylvus, Cowichan; Messrs. Phillip, Ronald and Edward Le Roys, and Miss Ada Le Roys, Duncan.

McCLAIR—POMEROY

Rev. F R G Dredge conducted the wedding of Nancy, younger daughter of Mr and Mrs. Frank Pomeroy, Willows Road, and Mr William McClair, son of the late Mr. and Mrs W McClair, Victoria, which took place last evening at the home of the bride's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. F Pomeroy, Jr., Montrose Avenue, in the presence of relatives and a few intimate friends. During the ceremony the bride and groom stood beneath white streamers before a fireplace banked with pink peonies and white delphiniums, and a bowl of roses on the mantelpiece.

Given in marriage by her father, the pretty bride wore a floor-length frock of ashes of roses crepe with short sleeves, and a pink floral cap, and carried an arm bouquet of white carnations, blue delphiniums and pink roses. Miss Rae Pomeroy was her sister's bridesmaid, in a Queen's blue dress and a matching floral cap, and carried a colonial posy. Mr. William Pomeroy, their brother, was best man.

The bride's mother wore a dusky rose dress with navy blue accessories, and Mrs. Pomeroy, Jr., was in navy blue with touches of white. Both wore corsage bouquets of roses and carnations. The supper table was placed beneath a canopy of white streamers from the chandelier, and was decorated with vases of tiny pink roses, and centred with the cake swathed in folds of pink tulle. For a honeymoon in Vancouver, the bride left in a grey suit with black and white accessories.

Mr. and Mrs. McClair will make their home in Victoria.

STARK—SYME

A marriage of interest to their friends in British Columbia took place on May 24 in Ashton, Ontario, between Ena Jessie, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs P Syme, Viking Alberta, and Mr Arthur Playters Stark, Victoria, B.C. The ceremony took place at the home of the bride's aunt, Miss Jean Aitken. After a short honeymoon by motor, the couple will reside in Bermuda, where Mr. Stark is at present engaged on war work.

TIPPETT—SILBURN

The marriage was quietly solemnized by Rev. O L. Jull in St Mark's Church at 6 30 o'clock last evening between Lily (Peggy), youngest daughter of the late Mr O. Silburn, and Mrs. Silburn, 3200 Douglas Street, and Mr. John James Gray Tippett, youngest son of Mr and Mrs. W H Tippett, 2838 Blackwood Street.

Roses and iris predominated in the decorations in the church, and Miss Eva Vowles presided at the organ accompanied by her niece, Miss Marie Vowels, on the violin. They played the wedding marches before and after the ceremony, and during the service, "Adorattoo" (Borowski) "Largo" (Handel), "Consolation" (Mendelssohn) and "Traumerai" (Schumann).

The charming bride was given in marriage by Mr. Fred Hobson, an old family friend, and wore a frock of como rose chiffon with a floor-length accordion-pleated skirt and a softly draped bodice with long full sleeves. Her hat of matching lace was trimmed with turquoise velvet ribbon, and she carried an arm bouquet of Talisman roses. Miss Eleanor Fulton, the bridesmaid, was dressed in a bolero frock of turquoise blue taffeta, trimmed with matching shirred velvet, and wore a turquoise and rose petal doll hat with a spotted chenille veil. She carried a bouquet of pink snapdragons and pink baby orchid gladioli. Mr. William Tippett was his brother's groomsman.

RECEPTION HELD

At a family reception in the Princess Charlotte dining-room at the Empress Hotel, the guests were welcomed by Mrs. Silburn, in a jacket frock of aquamarine flat crepe, with touches of lace, navy blue accessories and a corsage bouquet of pink roses and swainsons, assisted by Mrs. Tippett, in a "mist" blue redingote ensemble, with a pink hat and a corsage bouquet of pink roses.

The toast to the bride and groom was proposed by the bride's uncle, Mr. Frank Thompson, and that to the bridegroom's parents, who were celebrating the thirtieth anniversary of their wedding, by Mr E Gray. The bride and groom received the greetings of their friends, standing between tall palms before a fireplace surmounted by a large bowl of blue delphiniums. The supper table was covered with a pastel green damask cloth and centred with the cake, flanked by bowls of shaded pink snapdragons.

Following a honeymoon trip Up-Island, for which the bride left in a "romance" blue sheer dress, a matching hat, black accessories and a short silver fox coat with a corsage bouquet of pink carnations. Mr and Mrs. Tippett will take up residence in their new home at 2940 Harriet Road.

PAINE—McLEOD

At a civil ceremony in the Parliament Buildings yesterday morning, Mrs. M. McLeod, formerly of Winnipeg, became the bride of Mr George H. Paine, Victoria.

The bride wore a gown of mauve French crepe with a white coat and accessories, and a corsage bouquet of Talisman roses, carnations and lily of the valley. Attending her was her daughter, Mrs. Douglass Lyall, in a rose crepe ensemble with blue accessories and a corsage spray of blue scabious and carnations, and Mr. James Paine supported his brother.

About thirty guests were entertained at a wedding breakfast after the ceremony at the future home of the bride and groom, 1365 McNair Street. The table was covered with a cream lace cloth and centred with the cake, flanked by vases of pink sweet peas and tall white tapers.

Mr. and Mrs. Paine are spending their honeymoon Up-Island.

ODYNSKY—WALLACE

The marriage of Miss A. M. Frances Wallace, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Wallace, Victoria, to Mr Peter O. Odynsky, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Odynsky, Edmonton, Alta., took place recently in Vancouver at St. Stephen's Church.

ROGERS—WILLERTON

The marriage took place at the home of the officiating minister, Rev. J Lewis W McLean, on Friday, May 23, of Gerda Lorraine, elder daughter of Mr George Willerton, 1290 Astoria Avenue, and the late Mrs. Willerton, to Mr. James Douglas Rogers, Victoria. After a honeymoon on the Mainland, Mr. and Mrs Rogers will reside in Victoria.

STURROCK—LOCKE

The marriage was solemnized by Rev. Canon Smith in St. Barnabas' Church at 1:15 o'clock yesterday afternoon between Beatrice Mary (Trixie), youngest daughter of the late Mr. C. E Locke and Mrs Locke, 29 Menzies Street, and Mr. James Corydon Sturrock, second son of Mr and Mrs. A. Sturrock, 2619 Cavendish Avenue. Mrs R. E V Yerburgh played the wedding music, and tall baskets of blue delphiniums, rose pink snapdragons and trailing ferns had been arranged in the chancel by girl friends of the bride.

Given in marriage by her brother, Mr. C W E Locke, Ocean Falls, the bride looked lovely in a dusky pink redingote ensemble, and a wide-brimmed "heart-beat" red straw hat trimmed in front with a cluster of cherries, and at the back with a bow of cherry and Paddy green ribbon. She carried a small shower bouquet of pale pink roses, carnations and snapdragons.

The bridesmaid, Miss Phyllis Jesse, wore a redingote gown of turquoise blue crepe, a small beige straw hat trimmed with turquoise blue, and carried a sheaf of pale pink roses and carnations. Mr Bruce Sturrock was best man, and the ushers were Messrs. Jack Locke and Howard Sturrock, brothers of the bride and groom. A profusion of blue delphiniums and pink roses adorned the rooms at the home of the bridegroom's parents, where the reception was held. The refreshment table was arranged entirely with white flowers, including gladioli and bridal wreath, and was lighted with tall white candles in silver holders. After the toast had been proposed by Dr F. M. Bryant, the bride cut the cake, which stood on a small table.

Mrs. Locke welcomed the guests in a navy blue and white triple sheer dress with a long coat, navy blue accessories and a corsage bouquet of pink roses, and Mrs. Sturrock was in a printed white and navy silk redingote ensemble, with a white pique hat, and a corsage bouquet of red roses. For a honeymoon on the Mainland, by motor, en route to Harrison Hot Springs the bride left in a camel's hair coat over her wedding outfit.

Mr and Mrs. Sturrock will make their home at 626 Monterey Avenue. Guests at the wedding included Mr and Mrs. J B. Locke, Mrs. E. R. Frampton and Master Roger Frampton, Vancouver, and Mr and Mrs. C McMurtrie, Cowichan Lake.

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St Mark's Choir held a concert on Thursday, Mr. P. E. George acting as chairman and announcing the various numbers, which included vocal solos by Elsie George, Mr Clarke, Marion Jull, Enid Middleton, Mrs Dunn and Mrs. Jull, violin solos, Mrs. Moore, piano duets, Mrs Moore and Mrs. Jull, vocal trio, E George, E Middleton and Marloo Jull; recitations, Mrs. Dunn; selection, Mr. Haynes, a selection by Mrs. Tuson, Mrs. Jull and Mrs. Moore; a selection by St Mark's Trio, and piano accompaniments by Mrs. Jull and Mrs. Moore.

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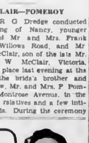
MISS C. F. ROBE

MRS. P. Robe, 121 Croft Street, announces the engagement of her second daughter, Charlotte Flossie, to Petty Officer Alan Malcolm Chandler, R.C.N., youngest son of Mrs. H. K. Chandler, Vancouver, and the late Mr W A Chandler. The wedding will take place on June 28 at 8 30 p.m. at the Church of Our Lord, Free Church of England.



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Index Advances 7.7 per Cent Between Outbreak of War And End of April

OTTAWA, May 31 (CP)—An increase of 7.7 per cent in the cost of living index for all Canada between the outbreak of war and the end of April was noted today by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics with the observation that percentage changes in retail price levels since war began have been closely comparable in all areas of the Dominion.

Individual indexes of eight Canadian cities, taken as representative of the main geographical areas of the country, have ranged from 5.7 per cent higher in the case of Edmonton to 10.1 per cent for Montreal and none of the eight cities differed by more than 2.4 per cent from the Dominion index.

The eight representative cities are Halifax, Saint John, N.B., Montreal, Toronto, Winnipeg, Saskatoon, Edmonton and Vancouver.

FOOD PRICE RANGES

Wartime increases in retail food prices ranged from 8.1 per cent in Edmonton to 14 per cent for Halifax, while the Dominion retail food index advanced almost 11 per cent.

In four of the eight cities the April food indexes were slightly below those for December, 1940, and only in Vancouver, where a recent rise was caused by changes in meat prices, has the food index been appreciably higher than in December, the bureau report said.

Movements in fuel and lighting indexes varied from an increase of 13.7 per cent for Montreal to a decline of two per cent for Edmonton. The decrease for Edmonton was due to a "substantial reduction" in rates on fuel gas for domestic consumption. The Dominion fuel and lighting index moved up ten per cent between August, 1939, and April.

RENT INDICES

Percentage changes in city rent index ranged between a decline of .6 for Vancouver and an increase of 8.1 for Montreal and Saskatoon. The slight decline in Vancouver resulted from a weaker tendency in apartment rentals late in 1939 prior to the establishment of rent control. A Dominion index of residential rentals rose 3.8 per cent between August, 1939, and April "and the results of the May, 1941, rental survey will likely increase this figure by a small amount," the report said.

Higher prices for woolen and leather goods were mainly responsible for increases in clothing prices which have been more marked for men's than for women's apparel. Since August, 1939, increases in ready retail clothing price indexes have varied from 9.5 per cent for Winnipeg to 17.3 per cent for Montreal. The corresponding Dominion clothing index showed a rise of 14.3 per cent.

HOME FURNISHINGS

Changes in home furnishings and services showed regional differences similar to clothing but due to the retarding influence of home service maintenance costs, percentage increases have been less. They varied from 8.5 per cent for Winnipeg to 13.1 per cent for Montreal and Edmonton. The Dominion index of furnishings and services increased 10.7 per cent.

The miscellaneous living costs group, composed largely of service costs such as those for health maintenance, transportation, recreation and insurance, have shown "little reaction to wartime conditions so far," the report added.

Percentage increases in these costs ranged from 1.1 for Vancouver to 3.7 for Saint John, N.B. This compared with an increase of 1.8 per cent in the Dominion index.

What Today Means

"GEMINI"

If June 1 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date are from 10 a.m. until noon, from 2 to 4 p.m. and from 8 to 10 p.m. The danger periods are from 8 to 10 a.m., from 8 to 8 p.m. and from 10 p.m. until midnight.

On June 1 you may find many people inclined to give more thought to their spiritual welfare than to their material desires. This is a day when anyone's desire for privacy should be respected, and care must be exercised not to interfere with previously made plans, if you wish to remain in everyone's good graces. A combination of circumstances and conditions should make this a good month for the average person. This seems to be a propitious time to start new enterprises and to present unique ideas, so if you "have anything up your sleeve" rest up so that you can start Monday with a reserve force of energy. June 1 will be a day when it will pay to fight shy of controversial subjects, for it will be through the divergence of opinions that many quarrels are apt to originate, particularly between married and engaged couples, as well as those smitten by love.

If a woman and June 1 is your birthday, be prepared for lady luck to take an active hand in your affairs. Your willingness to help others may make many persons anxious to help you further your social and financial ambitions. You may discover that you are a continuous source of inspiration for someone near and dear to you. As a lecturer, demonstrator, broker, sales promoter, instructress, writer, trained nurse, artist, musician, or specialist in some professional or commercial activity, you may win the respect and admiration of everyone who knows you. You will probably display good judgment in your selection of a husband.

The child born on June 1 generally develops into a warm-hearted, witty youngster, who is frequently regarded by his playmates as a leader in whom they can place the utmost confidence. The child of Gemini may owe his future success to his reputation for dependability.

If a man and June 1 is your birthday, make it a point "never tell your resolution beforehand" and it is apt to be most effective. Your best results may come from surprise moves on your part. As a theatrical man, electrician, promoter, linotype, soldier, religious leader, geologist, author, journalist, or businessman, you may be accorded many honors and you should acquire your share of worldly goods.

MONDAY, JUNE 2

"GEMINI"

If June 2 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date are from 10:15 a.m. to 12:15 p.m., from 2:15 to 4:15 p.m. and from 8:15 to 10:15 p.m. The danger periods are from 8:15 to 10:15 a.m., from 8:15 to 8:15 p.m. and from 10:15 p.m. until midnight.

In exchanging pleasantries on this date keep your wit whimsical and good humored, unlinged by irony and free from malicious humor. Impatience will be the primary cause of a great deal of bad judgment, particularly on the part of those persons trying to force others to make hasty decisions. Very few persons will like being told that their pet ideas are cockeyed, so if you are wise you will be tactful when making adverse comments concerning the theories, opinions, or policies of others. Remember that beauty "is but skin deep," so try to judge people by their true worth, their accomplishments and temperament, rather than by outward appearances. Be food conscious on this day. Eat slowly and let your sense of taste have a chance to function properly. Married and engaged couples, and those who are expecting successful culmination of their courtship days, will find that an excellent motto for this date is "Blight not what's near through aiming at what's far."

If a woman and June 2 is your birthday, maintain an even, sympathetic disposition and you will be able to make many invaluable friends. You probably seldom indulge in halfway measures, especially when it comes to liking and disliking people. In all likelihood you believe in expressing your gratitude by actions rather than by words, but there may be times when it will be advisable for you to express your appreciation in a few well-chosen phrases. Your activity as a missionary, political leader, artist, writer, teacher, lecturer, musician, or in some managerial capacity may help you to become prosperous and successful. Apparently the lives of you and the man you marry will be interwoven by filaments of Cupid's weaving, and they will be of an enduring quality.

The child born on June 2 frequently develops a happy-go-lucky disposition that saves him a needless amount of fretting and worrying. A love for social activities and sports may add much to this youngster's popularity, and prove to be valuable in furthering his mature inquisitions.

If a man and June 2 is your natal day, your bark is likely to be much worse than your bite. You probably are tender-hearted and generous to a fault, and when these qualities are recognized, you should gain many valuable friends. As a lawyer, politician, journalist, inventor, poet, manufacturer, sales representative, soldier, sailor, or business executive, your money-making opportunities appear to be unlimited.

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Heavy Rains Fall On Prairie Farms

WINNIPEG, May 31 (CP)—Heavy rains drenched Manitoba farm lands today, and in Winnipeg the fall, which began late yesterday, totaled .87 inch. In Emerson, on the international border, the fall was 1.18 inches.

The Dominion Meteorological Bureau reported the rain was fairly general in Manitoba, missing only the northwestern area around Swan River.

There was rain also in Southern Saskatchewan and in Southern Alberta intermittent showers fell. Only sprinkles of rain were reported in Northern Alberta.

BEACONS WILL BURN

CALGARY, May 31 (CP)—Victory beacons, similar to the beacons burned at the time of the Jubilee celebration in 1935, will burn across Alberta, from the northern boundary to the United States border, Monday, June 2, when the Victory War Loan Campaign is launched.

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ODDS FAVOR U.S. VESSELS

In Clash With Japan, Naval Expert Believes America Would Win

If the two great sea powers of the Pacific should clash in battle, the odds favoring the United States over Japan would be approximately two to one, believes Naval Historian-Strategist Captain W. D. Puleston, U.S.N., retired.

The theoretical mathematical chances are reached by assuming fourteen United States ships of the line were opposed by ten Japanese dreadnoughts. The squares of these numbers are 196-100. These figures, of an engagement, rise to the cube of the number of ships involved as the battle reaches its closing phase. Thus, the chances favoring the numerically superior fleet would rise to 2,744 to 1,000, or nearly three to one.

The foregoing formula is offered by Captain Puleston in a book he has written which appraises the military and naval power of the United States and Japan. In this study, "The Armed Forces of the Pacific" (Yale University Press), the author is not resigned to the belief that war is inevitable between the two countries.

SECOND THOUGHTS

"Sober second thoughts," he states, "on the part of the Japanese and American leaders and peoples have helped them through dangerous crises in the past."

Captain Puleston believes, however, that at the moment neither country understands the other. As a "satisfied power," he reasons that the United States has slight understanding of nations which are dissatisfied with their boundaries. Japan, on the other hand, has shown indications of subscribing to the theories of the German military strategist, Von Clausewitz, who wrote: "War is nothing but the continuation of politics by other means."

If Japan were to follow the Clausewitz thesis, Captain Puleston suggests this possible line of action:

Should the United States fleet be transferred to the Atlantic, Japan would be free to invade Malaya, Australasia or the Philippines.

"Such action," he says, "would be in harmony with the programme of her army and navy leaders, and in accord with the Clausewitz theory of war as an instrument of policy which should be resorted to under the most favorable circumstances."

STRENGTH NOT KNOWN

The present strength of the Japanese navy is not known definitely, as little information has been available on its building programme since 1936. Ten battleships are in service, with two laid down in 1938 and two more in 1939. An additional two possibly were started in 1940, Captain Puleston says. The earliest any of these ships could join the battle line would be some time next year.

The United States has fifteen battleships, with the North Carolina and Washington due to take their places as units of the fleet in the next few months.

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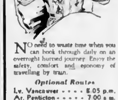

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8:15 A.M.	7:00 P.M.
SUNDAYS ONLY	
8:15 A.M.	9.30 A.M.
10:15 A.M.	11:15 A.M.
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Cancellation of Yacht Races Due To Lack of Wind

Lack of wind forced the cancellation of the yachting events which were to have been contested over the Cadboro Bay courses of the Royal Victoria Yacht Club yesterday afternoon. The races were for non-boat owners of the club, boat-owning members of the organization having offered their craft for the competitions, but owing to weather conditions it was decided to postpone the contests until a more suitable day.

Today yacht club craft will begin the season's series of races for the George Broom, Captain R. S. Johnson and E. P. Ashe Trophies, the races being for star dinghy and snipe class boats, respectively. The first race is scheduled to start at 10.30 a.m., the starting line being directly off the clubhouse float.

MAIL AND SHIPS

WEATHER REPORT

ESTEVAN—Overcast, rain, light east southeast, gentle, 30.04, 55, light swell.
PACHENA—Overcast, north, light, 30.09, 55, light swell.
CARMANAH—Overcast, east, light, 30.07, light swell.
CAPE BEALE—Overcast, southeast, moderate, 30.05, light swell.
LENNARD ISLAND—Cloudy, southeast, light, 30.04, light swell.

COASTING CRAFT

VICTORIA-VANCOUVER — Ss. Princess Kathleen or Ss. Princess Marguerite will leave Victoria daily for Vancouver at 2 p.m. Ss. Princess Kathleen or Ss. Princess Marguerite will arrive from Vancouver daily at 2.10 p.m. Ss. Princess Joan or Ss. Princess Elizabeth will leave for Vancouver daily at 12 midnight. Ss. Princess Joan or Ss. Princess Elizabeth will arrive from Vancouver daily at 7 a.m.

VICTORIA-SEATTLE—Ss. Princess Kathleen or Ss. Princess Marguerite will leave Victoria daily for Seattle at 4.30 p.m. Ss. Princess Kathleen or Ss. Princess Marguerite will arrive from Seattle daily at 1.15 p.m. Ss. Iroquois will leave Victoria daily for Seattle at 8.15 a.m. Ss. Iroquois will arrive from Seattle daily at 8.30 a.m.

VICTORIA-PORT ANGELES—Ss. Iroquois will leave Victoria daily for Port Angeles at 8.15 a.m. Ss. Iroquois will arrive Victoria daily from Port Angeles at 8.35 a.m.

SWARTZ BAY-SALT SPRING ISLAND—Ms. Cy Peck will leave Swartz Bay daily, except Wednesday, for Fulford Harbor at 8.30 a.m. and 5 p.m. Ms. Cy Peck will leave Fulford Harbor for Swartz Bay daily, except Wednesday, at 8.15 a.m. and 4 p.m. Ms. Cy Peck will leave Swartz Bay Sundays only at 9.30 a.m., 11.15 a.m., 5 p.m. and 7.45 p.m. for Fulford Harbor. Ms. Cy Peck will leave Fulford Harbor, Sundays only, at 8.15 a.m., 10.15 a.m., 4 p.m. and 6.45 p.m. for Swartz Bay.

SIDNEY-STEVESTON—Ms. Motor Princess will leave daily except Sunday from Sidney for Steveston at 3.45 p.m. Ms. Motor Princess will arrive daily at Sidney from Steveston at 3.15 p.m. Ms. Motor Princess will leave Sidney on Sundays only for Vancouver, via Gulf Island ports, at 3.45 p.m.

BRENTWOOD-MILL BAY—Ms. Cascade will leave Brentwood daily at 8 a.m., 10 a.m., 11 a.m., 12 noon, 2 p.m., 3 p.m., 4 p.m., 5 p.m. Ms. Cascade will leave Mill Bay daily at 8.30 a.m., 10.30 a.m., 11.30 a.m., 12.30 p.m., 2.30 p.m., 3.30 p.m., 4.30 p.m., 5.30 p.m. In addition Ms. Cascade will leave Brentwood on Sundays and holidays at 6 p.m., and Mill Bay at 6.30 p.m.

VICTORIA-GULF ISLANDS-VANCOUVER—Ss. Princess Mary will leave Victoria at 10.30 a.m., Tuesdays, for Vancouver via Gulf Islands. Ss. Princess Mary will arrive at Victoria via Gulf Islands at 6.30 p.m., Mondays.

WEST COAST—Ss. Princess Norah or Ss. Princess Maquinna will leave Victoria for Port Alice and West Coast points of Vancouver Island on the 1st, 11th and 21st of each month.

NANAIMO-VANCOUVER — Ss. Princess Elaine, Joan or Elizabeth will leave Nanaimo daily, except Saturday and Sunday, at 7.30 a.m. and 3.30 p.m. Ss. Princess Elaine, Joan or Elizabeth will leave Nanaimo Saturday only at 7.30 a.m., 3.30 p.m. and 6.15 p.m. Ss. Princess Elaine, Joan or Elizabeth will leave Nanaimo Sunday only at 3.45 p.m. Ss. Princess Elaine, Joan or Elizabeth will arrive at Nanaimo daily except Saturday and Sunday, at 1.30 p.m. and 5.30 p.m. Ss. Princess Elaine, Joan or Elizabeth will arrive at Nanaimo Saturday only at 1.30 p.m. and 5.30 p.m. Ss. Princess Elaine, Joan or Elizabeth will arrive at Nanaimo Sunday only at 1.30 p.m. and 11.30 p.m.

NANAIMO-GABRIOLA — Ms. Atrevida will leave Canadian Pacific Wharf, Nanaimo, daily (except Wednesday) at 6.30 a.m. for Gabriola.

SIDNEY-ANACORTES—Ms. Vashon will arrive at Sidney daily from Anacortes at 1.13 p.m. Ms. Vashon will leave Sidney daily for Anacortes at 1.45 p.m.

OFFERING TRIP AMONG ISLANDS

Combined Land and Water Outing Available on Wednesday Next

On Wednesday next, Vancouver Island Coach Lines and the Gulf Islands Ferry Company are offering another of their popular combined land and water trips. This outing includes a coach ride from Victoria to Swartz Bay, where the Ms. Cy Peck will be boarded for a cruise through Gulf Island waters. Ports of call will be Port Washington, Galiano and Mayne Islands. Buses will leave the city depot at 9 a.m.

BARGAIN OUTING

Next Friday and Saturday, the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway will give Victorians the opportunity of traveling to any point reached by the railway system at greatly-reduced rates. These bargain rates are also available to all Up-Island residents who wish to visit Victoria. Tickets are on sale, good going on June 6 and 7, with the return limit up to and including Tuesday, June 10.

VISITING YACHT

The Tacoma yacht Irvin Etta was a visitor to Victoria yesterday, berthing at Enterprise Wharf. The Irvin Etta cruised through the San Juan group of islands on the way here and was to return home via the same group on leaving here last evening. Aboard the yacht were her owners, Captain and Mrs. I. T. Rowland and daughter, Venetta, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Buckley, Mrs. Rudy Mueller and Reginald Johnson.

Additional Ship Contract Awarded Vancouver Plant

VANCOUVER, May 31 (CP).—West Coast Shipbuilding Company of Vancouver was reported today to have received orders to build ten 9,300-ton freighters at a contract price of approximately $18,000,000 and it was understood the keels would soon be laid in berths now being prepared on the site of the old Coughlan Shipyards on False Creek.

The new contract brings British Columbia's shipbuilding programme up to 110 9,300-ton ships. Although contracts have not been announced officially, shipbuilders are known to be busy on orders for seventy vessels in Vancouver, twenty in Victoria and ten at Prince Rupert.

The ships are being built on order of the Dominion Government.

Leaves City to Don R.C.A.F. Uniform

HOWARD E. VEY

NATIVE son of Victoria, who left the city recently for Eastern Canada to report for training as a pilot in the R.C.A.F. He was educated at George Jay and Victoria High Schools, and is twenty-three years of age. Mr. Vey was active in local musical circles, being a member of the Victoria Musical Art Society. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Vey, reside at 1744 Coronation Avenue.

Wartime Shipping Will Open Office In Western Port

VANCOUVER, May 31 (CP). — A Western office of Wartime Merchant Shipping Limited, Government corporation in charge of Canada's shipbuilding programme, will be opened in Vancouver immediately, it was learned today. J. O'Halloran, formerly chief engineer of the Anglo-Canadian Pulp & Paper Company, of Quebec, will be in charge.

The office will be under general supervision of Major Austin C. Taylor, Western director of the company. All companies and persons having business with wartime shipping are expected to deal with Mr. O'Halloran.

H. R. MacMillan, president of the corporation, left last night by plane for Montreal and Washington, D.C.

Sailors Succumb To Exposure When Adrift in Boats

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., May 31 (CP).—An additional thirty-nine survivors of a torpedoed ship have been landed here by a rescue ship to join their nineteen mates of the same sinking who were landed previously by another vessel.

The new arrivals, who were adrift in small boats for several days, reported four of the men died of exposure and were buried at sea. Also, a member of the crew of the rescue ship was drowned when washed overboard in a heavy sea while making port.

The previous arrivals said eight of their number died of exposure while bobbing about in open boats for days.

The torpedoed vessel was not identified.

CAPTAIN OF ITALIAN SHIP SENTENCED FOR ENGINE-ROOM DAMAGE

SAVANNAH, Ga., May 31 (AP).—Captain Gino Fillini, master of the Italian freighter Clara, was sentenced to serve three years today and four members of his crew two years each for violation of a Federal law in damaging the engines of the ship. A jury rendered a guilty verdict last night.

Captain Fillini testified he had received orders from the Italian naval attache on March 28 to damage the ship's machinery.

Veteran Shorthand Reporter Speaks at The Royal Business College

Mr. Thomas Bengough, retired official reporter of the Senate of Canada, father of shorthand schools in the Dominion, and holder of the 250-minute record, now enjoying the beauties and salubrious climate of Victoria, on Wednesday, May 28 was guest speaker at the Royal Business College, and demonstrated development and progress of shorthand covering fifty years.

He told a racy story of his experiences as court reporter in Toronto for thirty years and in the Senate at Ottawa for more than twenty years.

In the National Shorthand Reporters' Association Mr. Bengough thirty years ago projected a plan for the improvement of Pitmanic shorthand through a committee of leading expert reporters, and that the standardization committee had produced three vital books—first on word-signs and contractions, second on phrases, covering 7,300 of those most frequently used in technical court cases, and finally The Standardization Business Shorthand (Pitmanic), a textbook covering all improvements suggested by the thousands of national members since 1909. Dr. Edward H. Eldridge, editor of the textbook, the only member beside Mr. Bengough who had been on the committee since 1909, died last month just as the manuscript was completed and handed over to the Pitmanic Corporation at New York; Mr. John J. Healy, ex-president, was the third member of the committee. The National Association will hold its forty-first convention in Seattle next August.

FERRET JOHNNY QUITE A BLOKE

Wearer of George Medal Reaches Canada to Join Merchant Ship

OTTAWA, May 31 (CP).—William Thorpe, who is known as Johnny to his friends and as "The Ferret" to London generally, who wears the George Medal and who has saved around 150 lives, is in Canada to join the merchant marine.

"Quite a bloke, Johnny is," as one of his mates put it. He's around forty, short and stocky, and he has a great faculty for crawling through holes. The holes are in debris tumbled down by Nazi bombs, and there are usually people buried alive at the other end of them.

When newspapermen asked him on arrival in Canada if he was "The Ferret," he didn't have much to say.

"Sure it's me," he answered. "But I didn't do nothing. Just helped a few poor folk outa wreckage after the Jerries came over."

"The Ferret," who was in the merchant marine in the first Great War, has been recalled to that service and is on his way to an unnamed port to join a ship.

SIDNEY DISTRICT A.R.P.

SIDNEY, May 31.—Sidney District A.R.P. will meet at the Farmers' Pavilion, Experimental Station, East Saanich Road, on Monday, June 2 at 8 p.m.

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HAILEYBURY, Ont., May 31 (CP).—Four children, ranging in age from ten to seventeen years, were burned to death here early today when fire destroyed their farm home in Bucke township, four and a half miles from here.

FORMER LAWYER TAKEN BY DEATH

John A. Tayzant, Native of Nova Scotia, Had Lived Here Three Years

John A. Tayzant, who came to Victoria about three years ago from Hollywood, died last night at his home, 904 McClure Street. He was seventy years old. Mr. Tayzant was born in Halifax, where he practised law for some years before moving to Virginia in 1902 to farm. Later he moved to Hollywood.

Mr. Tayzant took an active interest in the Boy Scout movement, acting as a scoutmaster while in Virginia, and was an ardent hunter and fisherman. Besides his widow, he is survived by one son, Jack, serving with a British Columbia army unit in England; three brothers, Dr. W. L. Tayzant, Halifax; Frederick Tayzant, Victoria, and Rev. A. S. Tayzant, Boston, Mass.

There survive also three sisters, Mrs. L. J. Donaldson, Victoria; Mrs. W. R. Ward, Halifax, and Mrs. C. P. Brown, Wolfville, Nova Scotia. The funeral arrangements will be announced later.

Obituary

HIRST—The death occurred yesterday, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, of George Hirst, aged seventy-one years, of 1137 Pandora Avenue Mr. Hirst was born in Nanaimo, and is survived by his widow, one son, Edwin B. Hirst, and one daughter, Mrs. J. O. Orlandson, both of Seattle. Funeral services will be held on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock in McCall Bros' Funeral Chapel. Interment will be made in Colwood Burial Park.

CALDERWOOD — There passed away yesterday at St Joseph's Hospital, Mrs. Janet Calderwood, aged seventy-two years, wife of Gordon Calderwood, of 35 Battleford Street. Mrs. Calderwood was born in Argleshire, Scotland, and had resided here for the last twenty-eight years She is survived by her widower; five son, Duncan, James and John, Vancouver; Harry, Prince Rupert, and Gordon, on H.M.C.S. Prince Robert; five daughters, Mrs. E. Jeffries, Vancouver; Mrs. J. P. Taylor, Victoria, and Misses Grace, Ina and Agnes, all at home, eight grandchildren, and a sister, Mrs. McMillan, Metchosin. The remains are resting at McCall Bros' Funeral Home, and announcement of funeral will be made later.

CORNISH — Funeral of Mrs Emma Lucy Cornish will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock in St. Mary's Church, Fulford Harbor, Salt Spring Island. Rev. F. Ellis will officiate. Interment in the church cemetery. Sands Mortuary has charge of arrangements.

SMITH—The funeral of Miss Emily Agnes Smith, of Heliburton Road, Royal Oak, will be held on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock at St. Michael's Church, Rev. Canon Hitchcox officiating. Cremation will take place at Royal Oak Burial Park, McCall Brothers in charge.

NELSON—Funeral services for Albin Richard Nelson were held on Friday afternoon in Sands Mortuary, Ltd. Rev. William Allan conducted the services, during which the congregation sang the hymns "Abide With Me" and "Rock of Ages." The following acted as pallbearers: C. Strom, H. DuRussel, A. E. Campion and John Hoy. The remains were laid at rest in Royal Oak Burial Park.

HAMMOND—Funeral services for Mrs. Isabella Hammond were held yesterday afternoon in Sands Mortuary, Ltd. Rev. A. E. Whitehouse, D.D., conducted the services, during which the congregation sang the hymn "Safe in the Arms of Jesus." A representation of the Victoria lawn bowlers was present and a large number of members of the Carne Rebekah Lodge, No. 45, were in attendance. During their service, which was conducted by Miss Betty Johnson as noble grand, Mrs. E. Holyoak as chaplain and Mrs. E. Doane as vice-grand, Mrs. Agnes Barr rendered the solo "The Old Rugged Cross." The following acted as pallbearers: Walter Kitt, E. Coombes, A. McCabe, J. Wilby, B. Shaver and J. Dobbie. The remains were laid at rest in the Colwood Burial Park.

BYWELL — Funeral services for Mrs. Nan Bywell, who died at Duncan last Thursday, will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from St. Mary's Church, Somenos. Rev. H. T. Archbold will officiate and interment will be made in the churchyard. Davis Funeral Parlors, Duncan, are in charge of the arrangements. Mrs. Bywell came to British Columbia from England in 1911. She went to Duncan in 1914 with her husband. She lived in Victoria ten years, but had resided in Duncan for the last six years. She is survived by her widower, at Duncan; a brother and sister in England; another sister in Johannesburg, South Africa, and a niece in California.

McAVOY—The funeral of Edward McAvoy, eighty-three-year-old veteran race horse owner, will be held Monday. Cortege will leave Sands Mortuary at 7:50 a.m., with Requiem High Mass celebrated ten minutes later at St. Andrew's Cathedral. The funeral will be under the auspices of Fraternal Order of Eagles, Aerie No. 12 Burial will be in Ross Bay Cemetery. Prayers will be said tonight at 8 30 o'clock in Sands Mortuary.

GORDON — Many sympathizing friends attended the funeral of Mrs. Ann Lowden Gordon, held yesterday morning from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, Rev. J. L. W. McLean conducting the service. The hymns, "Now the Day Is O'er" and "The Sands of Time," were sung A profusion of beautiful floral tributes surrounded the casket. Mrs. Clifford John represented the Provincial Women's Council. The following were the pallbearers: A. Burgess, T. H. Leeming, H. L. Smith and W. E. McIntyre. The remains were laid at rest in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

WOOD — A large attendance of sorrowing friends was present at the funeral of Mrs. Martha Ellen (Nellie) Wood, held yesterday afternoon from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel. Very Rev. S. H. Elliott, Dean of Columbia, conducted the service, and the hymns, "Abide With Me" and "Nearer, My God, to Thee," were sung. A profusion of beautiful tributes surrounded the casket. The following were the pallbearers: F. J. Popham, A. E. Mallett, O. L. Wilby, F. G. Mulliner, George Okell and Sydney Child. The remains were laid at rest in Colwood Burial Park.

TILDSLEY—The funeral of Mrs. Alice Tildsley will be held tomorrow morning, leaving Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel at 10 o'clock for St Luke's Church, where service will be conducted by Rev. Frederic Pike at 10 30 Interment will be made in the churchyard.

CRAWFORD—The funeral service for Mrs. Mary Ann Crawford will take place in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel tomorrow afternoon at 3 30 o'clock, Rev Bryce Wallace officiating, followed by cremation at Royal Oak.

HARBORD—The funeral of Captain Montague D. Harbord will be held tomorrow morning, leaving Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel at 8 45, proceeding to St. Andrew's Cathedral, where Requiem Mass will be sung at 9 o'clock, and interment will be made in Ross Bay Cemetery. Prayers for the repose of Captain Harbord's soul will be offered in the chapel this evening at 8 30.

HUNTER — The funeral of Mrs Emma E A Hunter will be held from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. Canon Chadwick officiating, and interment will be made in Colwood Burial Park.

VIBERT — A large congregation attended the funeral of Philip Vibert, held yesterday afternoon from the Church of Our Lord, Rev. T. H. Laundy conducting the service. The hymns, "Peace, Perfect Peace," and "Abide With Me," were sung. A wealth of beautiful floral tributes was received. The following were honorary pallbearers: Dr. W. Rose, P. L. Naismith, W. T. Dickinson, A. E. Christie and F. H. Russell; the active pallbearers: F. Colpman, E. H. Wilson, C. B. Bowman and Arthur Kohl. The remains were laid at rest in Colwood Burial Park. Hayward's B.C. Funeral Co. were in charge.

Loan Sales Corps Unable to Accept Cash From Buyers

OFFICIALS of the Victoria division of the Victory Loan campaign point out to the public that canvassers are not permitted to accept cash in soliciting for Victory Bond applications. Any persons wishing to pay in cash are urged to purchase their bonds through banks, the only institutions authorized to accept cash payments. Canvassers, however, are permitted to receive payment for bonds by cheques, which should be made out to the Receiver-General of Canada.

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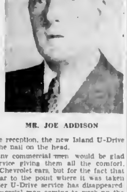

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The fleet superintendent at the Victoria Headquarters is F A "Beany" Tubman, well known to the traveling public on the Island, having been associated for many years with the Blue Line and other affiliations of the new Island U-Drive. In co-operation with Joe Addison, the company's traffic superintendent at the Nanaimo Headquarters, Mr. Tubman makes sure that there is a proper division of the fleet between the two terminals, and that whatever the exigencies of the traffic may be, there will always be a sufficient number of cars available at both ends No longer is it necessary to make a long double trip when your business or pleasure plans require traveling in one direction only.

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PRO REC NEWS

All Pro Rec members taking part in the War Loan programme at Beacon Hill Park on June 14 are asked to be at the Memorial Hall on Wednesday evening at 7:30 for a practice.

On Friday a group of P.R.C. members hiked to the Youth Hostel at Mount Douglas Park, where they met a group of hostelers belonging to the Pacific Northwest Cycling Club. The cyclists had just arrived from Seattle, Portland and Port Angeles to spend the week-end in cycling around the Island.

Swimming classes will start on Tuesday at 10 o'clock. Anyone interested is invited to join these classes as well as the "keep fit" class held on Thursday afternoon between 2 and 4 at the Athletic Park. For information about "Pro-Rec Summer activities" phone E 2365.

SO THAT'S IT

What has happened to the Loch Ness Monster?—Letter to the press

Don't tell anyone—but it's the new secret weapon. The navy has trained it to eat submarines.

The Corporation of the District of Saanich

Warning to Saanich Water Users

Please take notice that sprinkling and irrigating are prohibited between May 15 and September 30, in all that part of Saanich Municipality lying east of Quadra Street, during the following hours:

7:30 A.M. to 8:30 A.M., 11:00 A.M. to 2:00 P.M.
4:30 P.M. to 7:00 P.M.

Running hose must have "restrictive device" attached at all times, limiting the flow of water to not more than 25% of capacity.

Persons found sprinkling or irrigating contrary to these regulations will be subject to a fine up to $75.

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ANOTHER OCCIDENTAL RECORD

The thousands of Occidental policyholders throughout the Dominion will read with gratification these highlights from the outstanding year of progress ending December 31, 1940:

New Life insurance sold in 1940	$74,377,500
Premium Income	13,016,321
Capital and Surplus	4,035,256

A RECORD OF PROGRESS

End of Year	Assets	Insurance in Force
1925	$11,787,888	$102,062,867
1930	22,890,628	160,133,850
1935	26,666,736	210,477,386
1940	73,448,041	519,339,495

Occidental's life insurance in force increased 224% in the ten years just ended—a superb record during a difficult decade. Payments to policyholders since organization—$66,814,477.

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CHANGE IN DATE FOR ROSE SHOW

Flowers, Fruits and Vegetables to Be Exhibited in Crystal Garden On June 14

The Victoria Horticultural Society announces that its annual rose show will be held in the Crystal Garden on Saturday, June 14, instead of June 21, as previously arranged. This change is necessitated by the early season and the fact that the special show roses will be in bloom earlier than usual.

The show will feature roses, but in addition to roses there will be many other kinds of flowers, including sweet peas, delphiniums, irises, pyrethrums, aquilegias, peonies and lilies.

There will also be classes for early fruits and vegetables. Intending exhibitors may obtain catalogues of the show on application to the secretary, Alderman D. D. McTavish, 616 Broughton Street, or telephone E 9614 and catalogues will be mailed.

Occidental Life Reports Gains in Business Volume

Gains in volume of business, assets, policyholders' reserves and surplus funds are revealed in the 1940 annual statement of the Occidental Life Insurance Company which maintains its Canadian head office in London, Ontario.

According to W. Lockwood Miller, general manager for Canada, total insurance in force increased to a new record high of $519,339,495, a gain of $29,196,786 over a year ago. Another record was set in total assets which increased by $7,535,180 over the previous twelve months to a total of $73,448,041. Premium income for the year was $14,113,760.36, while total paid policyholders since organization has now reached $66,814,477.45. Surplus in excess of all liabilities to all policyholders made up of contingency and investment reserves, capital, etc., stood at $4,471,738.23.

QUALITY OF RISKS

A continued favorable mortality experience testifies to the quality of the risks carried by the company and interest earnings on invested funds, maintained at so high a figure through the depression years by Occidental, were most favorable during 1940.

Licensed under the Dominion Government Insurance Act, the company has on deposit with the receiver-general at Ottawa approved securities covering the full reserve required on all liabilities to Canadian policyholders. The market value of these securities is considerably in excess of a million dollars as of December 31 last.

New life insurance sold in 1940 totaled $74,377,500 and Occidental's life insurance force increased 224 per cent in the 10 years just ended—a superb record during a difficult decade.

The United States has 126,000 miles of oil pipelines.

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Coffee, Spencer's British Prize, lb.	37c
Certo Crystals, per pkt.	9½c
Washing Soda, Spencer's, per pkt.	7c
Suds, Brite White, per pkt.	15½c
Peas, Spencer's, No. 2, 16-oz. tin	12c
Corn, Spencer's, 16-oz. tin	10½c
Soap, Brite White, per cake	3c
Bathroom Tissue, Westminster, per roll	5c
Peaches, Lynn Valley, 16-oz. tin	11½c
Pears, King Beach, 16-oz. tin	9½c
Strawberry Jam, Holsum, New Season's, 4-lb. tin	49c
Pastry Flour, Monarch, 7-lb. sack	29c
Puffed Wheat and Rice, per pkt.	6½c
Sago, White, per lb.	7c
Pickles, Sweet Mixed, 27-oz. jar	25c
Meat Sauce, Princess, per bottle	10c
Oats, B. & K. Quick Cooking, per pkt.	13c

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Spork, 12 oz., per tin	25c
Spiced Ham, 12 oz., per tin	27c
Boneless Chicken, 7 oz., per tin	23c

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She Loved a Spy

By SYLVIA TAYLOR

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CHAPTER XLIX

"We'd be safer on the ship," Thomas prophesied gloomily.

"That," Paul said cheerfully, "remains to be seen."

Less than an hour later they were picked up by a fishing boat and landed at Mazatlan.

Joan stretched her tired body, thankful to have firm ground under her feet again. She looked around curiously. Mazatlan was like a small piece of another world, basking peacefully under balmy skies. The Mexicans lounged in the parks and streets and eyed the Americans with obvious curiosity. The white buildings were crowed against each other in the narrow streets. A white sandy beach stretched magnificently along one side of the town. Feathery palm trees were graceful outlines against the sky. There were a few automobiles, but for the most part horse-drawn carts rattled down the streets.

Thomas surveyed all this unhappily. "Now what?" he asked Paul with the air of one who is resigned to the worst. He glanced around apprehensively as if he expected Karl's men to appear any moment and whisk him away.

But there was no hint of unpleasantness as they bumped over the cobblestone streets to the hotel. Dark eyes watched them from the sidewalks. Barefoot children and beggars huddled silently at the market place. It was a town of lush tropical beauty, sweet warm air and a tranquil silence broken only by the rattling carts and the musical chatter of Spanish.

The hotel proved to be old and floors and high-beamed ceilings and ramps instead of stairways. It appeared practically deserted except for the yawning clerk who assigned them to their rooms.

Joan was surprised that Paul spoke Spanish. "Is there anything you can't do?" she asked as they walked up the ramp followed by the unwilling Thomas.

"I specialized in languages in college and it comes in handy with my job. I never know where I'll be next."

Joan felt better after a hot bath. She brushed her hair and coiled it in a low knot on the nape of her neck for the sake of coolness. The sea air surprisingly removed the wrinkles from her dress and when she joined Paul and Thomas in the dining-room she felt refreshed and almost cheerful.

"Under different circumstances," she told Paul, "I could really enjoy this place. It seems to be entirely isolated from the world we know."

"The big ships used to stop here and it was quite a tourist spot, but they haven't done that for a good many years and now not many Americans come here. It's too placid; not enough excitement for them."

Joan enjoyed her first taste of papaya and the oversized cups of coffee served with hot milk and huge lumps of unrefined sugar. "No wonder everyone seems so lazy. Nothing to do but eat and sleep and breathe this heavenly air."

"When I retire," Paul laughed, "We'll come back here and have a real vacation."

Thomas looked up in disgust. "Sometimes I think you two are nuts. You sit there and wait for Karl's gang to come after you as if the whole thing is a joke. I don't get it. Why don't we get out of here right now while we still have a chance?"

"If you tried it, you'd find out how much chance you have."

"Where are they then?" Thomas demanded.

"Don't be impatient. They'll be with us soon enough."

But when Thomas had gone back to his room and Joan and Paul walked in the tropical garden patio of the hotel, she said seriously, "Thomas is right, Paul. Why don't we leave before it's too late?"

"This is the end of the trail, honey. Even if they let us get away, which they won't, what would we have gained? Their next move will lead to the heart of this affair. It's what I've been waiting for all these months."

She sighed. "I suppose you're right. But I wish it would happen quickly. I'm like Thomas, I guess. I can't stand the waiting."

They strolled through the garden where every variety of tropical fruit and flower was exhibited by nature's lavish hand. Bright-plumaged birds trilled sharply as they winged their way into the blue heavens.

"It's so beautiful and so peaceful," Joan whispered.

Paul held her hand tightly. "Be patient, dear. Just a little while longer and everything will be cleared up, and when we're married I promise you I'll take a vacation and there won't be a single mystery to solve."

"Oh Paul, could you do that?"

"I think so. You can start planning your honeymoon, Mrs O'Malley."

"Darling, I don't care where we go just so we aren't being followed, or," she added laughing, "following someone else."

"Not a single person," Paul promised. "I'll guarantee to be under foot every hour. You'll probably be tired of seeing me around so much."

"Not a chance," Joan declared, smiling up at him. "And another thing, I want you to promise you won't put any more sleeping powders in my tea. I might miss something."

"It's a deal, if you'll promise not to carry any more concealed weapons."

Then she was serious. "I didn't tell you about the gun because I was afraid you'd take it away from me. I didn't want to use it, but when I saw Karl was going to shoot you, I had to do something. I love you so much Paul! I'd do anything, . . . anything."

And there in the sleepy sunlit garden he drew her into his arms.

(To be Continued)

NANAIMO CHORAL GROUP IS COMING

Dunsmore Choir, Winners of Five Championships, to Be Heard at Fairfield Church

Winners of the girls' open choir class at the British Columbia Musical Festival for the last five years, the Dunsmore Studio Girls' Choir, of Nanaimo will be heard in this city for the first time at a concert to be held at the Fairfield United Church on Friday, June 6.

This choir has won many awards since its formation in 1935, but being holders of the British Columbia championship for five successive years, places this choral group in the foremost position of all such choirs throughout the province.

Led by Andrew Dunsmore, who has conducted many winning choirs in the past several years, the choir will be heard in several groups of numbers. Assisting artists on the programme are all gold medalists. There will be vocal and instrumental solos and elocution.

Hon. George S. Pearson, Minister of Labor, and member for the Nanaimo riding in the Provincial Legislature, will officiate as chairman. It is expected that many former Nanaimo persons now resident here will welcome this opportunity to hear so distinguished a choir.

According to Culbertson

As most players know, an opening bid may be made on a hand which is only slightly above average strength. When the opener freely rebids, however, he shows considerably more strength than is required for a minimum opening bid. This is particularly true when the opponents have displayed strong hands, and when his partner has given no indication of support. Now, ordinary logic demands that the opener pass if his hand is even close to a "minny." He already has made a declaration; why not sit back and let partner get in a word?

All this being true, it naturally follows that a free rebid announces a substantial holding. Note how this principle influenced North's bidding in the hand below.

South, dealer
North-South vulnerable

NORTH
♠ K 10 3
♥ K J 6 5
♦ 7 6 4
♣ 8 6 5

WEST
♠ 8 4
♥ A 9 3
♦ A Q J 3
♣ Q J 10 3

EAST
♠ 7 6
♥ 8 4 2
♦ 10 9 8 2
♣ K 7 4 2

SOUTH
♠ A Q J 9 5 2
♥ Q 10 7
♦ K 5
♣ A 9

The bidding

South	West	North	East
1 ♠	Double	Pass	2 ♠
2 ♠	Pass	3 ♠	Pass
4 ♠	Pass	Pass	Pass

West's take-out double was a little skimpy, but he did not want to let his vulnerable opponents win the auction uncontested. North properly passed to await developments. East, of course, had to respond to the take-out double and did so in the lower-ranking of his two shabby four card suits. It was at this point that South displayed his considerable reserve strength by rebidding two spades. Relying on South for the strong hand his free bid had advertised, North raised and South then went to game.

West opened the queen of clubs. After due thought, South correctly checked his impulse to take the trick. The club continuation was taken by the ace, and South drew two rounds of trumps. Hearts now were attacked, and West was powerless to defeat the contract. South could not be prevented from obtaining a diamond discard on dummy's extra heart.

Had South taken the first trick with the ace of clubs, there would have been a different story to tell. When West took his ace of hearts he could have given his partner the lead with the king of clubs. A diamond return through declarer's king then would have brought in the setting tricks.

TUESDAY'S HAND

South, dealer.
Neither side vulnerable

NORTH
♠ Q J 8 6 3
♥ 9 6 5
♦ A K 7
♣ 8 2

WEST
♠ K 9 4 2
♥ 8 4
♦ 9 6
♣ K Q 10 9 3

EAST
♠ 7
♥ K Q J 3 2
♦ J 10 4 2
♣ 6 5 4

SOUTH
♠ A 10 5
♥ A 10 7
♦ Q 8 5 3
♣ A J 7

Mr. Culbertson will discuss this hand in Tuesday's column.

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ALL-SILK FLAT CREPE—A pure silk flat crepe, shown in a range of shades, such as turquoise, Paddy, tan, forest green. Very reliable in wear and suitable for slips, lining, etc.; 38 inch. Sale Price, a yard .... **79¢**

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CENSUS PERIOD ENDS TONIGHT

Enumerators to Record Information as of Midnight Of June 2

OTTAWA, May 31 (CP)—Canada's census records for the next ten years will be based on the condition of the Dominion's people at the stroke of midnight Sunday. That, actually, is what the census authorities mean by the condition of Canada's people as of June 2.

June 2 is the date of the decennial census, one of the major tasks of government, and when 17,000 enumerators make their postponed visits on June 11 they will assemble information as of June 2—at the precise moment the new day began.

This means, for instance, that children born after midnight Sunday will not be included in the count of Canada's people. A person who dies on June 2, but after the stroke of midnight Sunday, will be counted as one of the Dominion's populace.

Census officials said tonight that the census has been called "the largest single act of administration by the Government" and that only extraordinary circumstances would permit of the date established for enumerators' visits being changed.

After June 2 had been chosen, Government authorities decided that the field should be left clear for canvassers for the $600,000,000 Victory Loan campaign, whose work starts Monday.

In Canada the fundamental legal reason for the census is to determine representation in the Federal parliament.

The British North America Act gave Quebec province a fixed number of seats—sixty-five—in the House of Commons. The number assigned to the other provinces was pro rata with an arrangement that the first readjustment should take place on the completion of the census of 1871 and that similar readjustment should follow every subsequent decennial census.

TO USE EIGHT SCHEDULES

Schedules to be used in the census number eight. One which every Canadian will see in the hands of the enumerator concerns population. Farmers will answer questions on the agricultural schedule, while information on horticulture, and on livestock raising, fruit-growing and similar activities carried on in urban areas, will be assembled.

A fifth schedule will give information on the housing situation in Canada and the sixth will cover merchandising and service establishments. Special schedules have been prepared to secure information on the blind and deaf mutes and for institutions.

BACON PRICE INCREASED

OTTAWA, May 31 (CP)—An increase of seventy-five cents a hundredweight in the price payable for bacon at Canadian seaboard was announced last night by the bacon board. The increase raised the price of Grade A, No. 1 sizable Wiltshire sides to $17.85 a hundredweight.

CHOSEN PRESIDENT OF SCOTTISH SOCIETIES

OTTAWA, May 31 (CP)—Col. J. A. Gillies, of Ottawa, was today elected president of the newly-formed Federation of Gaelic and Highland Societies in Canada.

The federation was formed last night at a meeting attended by representatives of Gaelic and Highland societies across Canada.

The executive committee includes Angus MacInnis, C.C.F. member of Parliament for Vancouver East, Thomas Reid, Liberal member of Parliament for New Westminster, was appointed to the advisory committee.

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BILL DALE WINS HALF-MILE EVENT IN THE SOUTH

Preston Captures War Cup Fixture; Defeats Arsenal

Robert Beattie Scores Two Goals In North End's Victory Over Gunners in Final Before 45,000 Spectators—Many Fainting Cases Are Reported—Drake Is Injured

BLACKBURN, England, May 31 (CP)—Preston North End defeated Arsenal, 2-1, today to win the War Cup Final.

Robert Beattie scored both Preston's goals, netting the first one after a scoreless first half, in the forty-ninth minute of play.

Gallimore, who kicked into his own net, got the goal which was credited to Arsenal, and Beattie scored his second goal from the ensuing kick-off.

The maximum crowd permitted, 45,000, saw the game, in which the atmosphere resembled peace-time Wembley. There were many fainting cases.

Only two new men were on the teams which played a 1-1 draw at Wembley, May 10. Today's match was a replay. Arsenal substituted Drake for Leslie Compton because of Drake's speed and Preston brought in Mansley, in place of Scott, who has a twisted knee.

The game was faster than that at Wembley but did not produce so much skill.

Beattie pierced the Arsenal defence early, giving O'Donnell a chance but he could only claim a corner. Drake narrowly missed counting Then Preston made a fierce attack, only to be deprived of a score by McLaren's great save.

Preston took the initiative in the second half, the whole team swarming into Arsenal territory before Beattie opened the scoring Taking a short pass from McLaren, Beattie sank the ball into a corner.

An injury to Drake handicapped Arsenal and fifteen minutes from the end he retired. The Gallimore and Beattie scores followed in a minute

When a free kick was given against Gallimore, Bernard Joy went up among the Arsenal forwards and made a harmless shot which Gallimore kicked into his own net, causing the crowd to roar "lucky Arsenal!"

The Northerners put on pressure, Dougal and Beattie taking the ball down the field, and Beattie scored From then on Preston played confidently and carefully.

BATTLE COLORS RACE WINNER

Captures $10,000 Memorial Handicap at Hollywood Park Track

LOS ANGELES, May 31 (AP).—Qualifying as a major threat in the $25,000 Hollywood Derby in July, Battle Colors defeated eight rival three-year-olds today in the $10,000 Will Rogers Memorial Handicap before 30,000 turf fans at Hollywood Park.

The fine-looking chestnut gelding, owned by Edward S. Moore, of Wyoming, was never worse than fourth after the field got away, while Mrs C. D Harper's Strong Arm took over the lead at the far turn.

Strong Arm couldn't hold off the rush of Battle Colors, however, and had a tough duel in the stretch with Louis B. Mayer's Painted Veil to hold on to the place position.

Battle Colors ran the distance in 1.23 2-5. He paid $3 80, $3.00 and $2 40. Strong Arm paid $4 80 and $3.00, and Painted Veil paid $2 80.

Georgie (The Iceman) Woolf rode the winner and probably will have him in the Hollywood Derby July 12

A total of $137,782 was wagered on the race.

BOWLERS TO AID RAID VICTIMS

Thanks to a live committee and the hearty support of all bowlers in the city, everything is in readiness to accommodate a record-breaking number of fivepin and tenpin trundlers, men and women, and also non-bowlers who will participate in the most novel and original competition ever held in Victoria. It will be held at Gibson's Olympic Bowladrome, Yates Street, and the Arcade Alleys, Fort Street, on June 18, and the entire proceeds will go to aid the British air raid victims. Officials have already named it the "Help Strike Out Hitler" tournament.

Some fine prizes will be at stake and the tickets will be sold at a very nominal fee A draw will also be made from a revolving drum and prizes of all kinds will be the result. Tickets will go on sale tomorrow and they will be good at both alleys from 10 o'clock in the morning the day of the event, until midnight. Members will be in attendance every night at the alleys to dispose of tickets to those who will compete in this big tournament.

Umpire Calls Hoag Safe at Second

Traditional gesture of the outspread hands accompanies ump's "safe" decision as Hoag, of the Chicago White Sox, reaches second base safely on his two-base hit to left field in fourth inning of game at the Yankee Stadium. Rizzuto, of the Yankees, takes Keller's throw-in of the hit at the sack. Sox won, 13-1.

Ted Williams and Pete Reiser Lead In Major Leagues

Young Members of the Boston Red Sox and Brooklyn Dodgers Setting Pace in Batting Races—Former Far Ahead in American Circuit—Feller Is Leading Pitcher

CHICAGO, May 31 (AP).—Young Ted Williams, Boston's eccentric right fielder, has left all other contenders behind in his dizzy climb to the American League batting heights.

The willowy, twenty-three-year-old star, in his third year as a big leaguer, has zoomed ninety-six points in two weeks, collecting thirty hits in his last fifty-six times at bat. Last week he batted .607—seventeen hits in twenty-eight tries—boosting his mark to .429 for the season, including games of Friday.

This amazing streak placed him fifty-three points ahead of Bill Dickey, the New York catcher, who is hitting a handsome .379, a gain of three points over last week. Roy Cullenbine, of St Louis, lost five points but still ranks third at .373, followed by Joe Cronin, Boston, .372, Cecil Travis, Washington, .269; Jeff Heath, Cleveland .358; Bruce Campbell, Detroit, .357; Sam Chapman, Philadelphia, .351; Luke Appling, Chicago, .344, and Dominic DiMaggio, Boston, .344.

Rudy York, Detroit's bulky first baseman, also hit a hot streak last week, clouting four home runs to take charge of this department with twelve This long distance hitting also brought him the runs batted in leadership with forty-three runs.

Cronin is setting the double-hitting pace, sixteen, Travis is tops in triples with seven, and George Case, of Washington, supplanted Dom DiMaggio as the top base stealer. The little DiMag has six and Case seven.

Bob Feller, of Cleveland, notched two more victories, giving him ten won and two lost. The Indian ace also stretched his strikeout mark to eighty-four, whiffing twenty-one men in two games

Connie Mack's ambitious Athletics displaced the Red Sox as team batting leaders at .283 Cleveland retained its superior rating on defence and the Yankees tacked on eight more double plays, giving them sixty-three in forty-two games

NATIONAL LEAGUE

NEW YORK, May 31 (AP).—Harold Patrick (Pete) Reiser, the young prize package of the Brooklyn Dodgers, now is beginning to pay off at the plate on all the build-up given him in the past three seasons

It was his batting which first attracted attention to him in Spring training in 1939 when he was a Dodger farmhand at Elmira in the Eastern League But he wallowed in hard luck right up to this year and was handicapped in addition by his very versatility.

As a result of many mishaps the twenty-one-year-old star has played in only twenty-eight of Brooklyn's forty-one games, but has overcome adversity to the extent of leading the National League in hitting.

In going to bat 102 times prior to today he made thirty-eight hits for a .373 percentage, eighteen points better than Enos (Country) Slaughter, of the St. Louis Cardinals, and Stan Hack, of the Chicago Cubs, who tied at .355.

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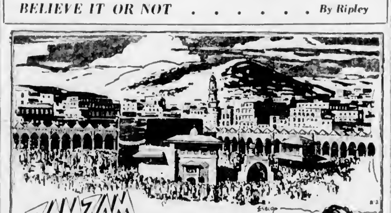

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Water Like Wine—The waters of the Bashara or Meram River in Asiatic Turkey have this peculiarity that the longer they are kept the better and the fresher they become The natives store the water away in stone jars for years, and drink with greater relish the older it is. Five-year-old water is considered a good vintage, but some families preserve it for as long as 50 Old water then that fetches a high price.

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FIFTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth: African Queen (Pearson) 13 20 16 40 14 60; Arsanne Woods (Neves) 3 60 3 60; Gay Jacket (Westrope) 3 20. Time, 1 44 2-5. Also ran: Lurias Rr, Friendly Paul, Twist, Iron Bunker, Good Taste.

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EIGHTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth: Mount Vernon II (Corbett) 16 00 13 00 9 20; Basal Crusader (Westrope) 3 00 1 80; Dunseno (McDermott) 4 80. Time, 1 43 2-5. Also ran: Gold Todd, Ariac, Titanic, Omelet.

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

FIRST RACE—Five furlongs: Vaidina Jean, Fern Mac, Seedie, Va n Noah, Green Rif, Magic Mab, Lovers Law, Bosida, Queen Malune, Ma ro Presto, Seven Broom, Ames Record, Queen Karse [weights illegible]

Spy Ann 118

SECOND RACE—One mile: Cinasar, Galvais, Kenlar, Double A, Frank Henry, Losh, Brown Splash, Ruby Dano, Air Speed 120 [other weights illegible]

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs: Ata Osuna 121, Vegas Justice, War Virago 108, Bye Sweep, [illegible], Risky Lady, Over Sold 105, Justice Nap, Tramp On, Square Diamond, [illegible], Ill Briar, Tal, Flying Back 113 [other weights illegible]

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs: Quertus 112, Get On, Red Jewel, Valdina Bo[illegible] 113, [illegible] Jane, [illegible] Star, Valley Boy 108, [illegible], Valdina Mar, Kerr Ilegetal 108, [illegible], Count Chat 106, Valdina Bianoe [other weights illegible]

FIFTH RACE—Seven furlongs: Real Archie 110, Golden Chance 116, Knight Call, [illegible], Bon Bs, V[illegible], Swell Chance 107, Tin Pan Alley 114 [other weights illegible]

SIXTH RACE—Mile and one-eighth: Britishalore 100, Ro[illegible] High 116, [illegible], [illegible], Lo[illegible] Hand, Valdina Mine, Battling Kate, Poster 114 [other weights illegible]

SEVENTH RACE—Six furlongs: Flying Streak, Lady Ho[illegible], [illegible] Betty, Free Me, Hard Lu[illegible], Heather Time, Cute T[illegible] [weights illegible]

EIGHTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth: Burgoo Trail 109, Sun Phantom 112, Essentine 118, Le[illegible], Sir Strating, Palmera T, Day Dodger, Little Long 113, Strombus 113 [other weights illegible]

First post, 2 p.m. Weather, clear; track, fast.

WINNERS AT DUNCAN

DUNCAN, May 31 —Medal rounds for men and women were played at the Cowichan Golf Club yesterday, the proceeds, $20, being given to the Spitfire Fund. R E Bales was winner of the prize for low gross score. S C Robinson won the low net and for the ladies Mrs H N Watson was winner of both low gross and net Prizes were donated by Miss Jean Duncan and N E Suddaby Tea was served at the clubhouse, under the convenership of the ladies' captain, Mrs O Droob She was assisted by Mrs W H Smith, Mrs J B Creighton Mrs O T Smythe and Mrs A B Irvine The tea tables were attractively decorated with red, white and blue flowers to emphasize the object of the competition.

VICTORIAN SCORES GREAT TRIUMPH IN CONFERENCE EVENT

Races to Excellent Triumph in 1:51.7 in California—Pat Haley Beaten in Both Sprints but Wins Hurdles—Grover Klemmer Smashes World's Record in 440-Yard Dash

BERKELEY, Calif., May 31 (AP).—Long-gaited Grover Klemmer, of California, raced to a world record tying time in the 440-yard dash to claim individual honors today in the Pacific Coast Conference track and field championships that saw Southern California run off with the team title for their sixth successive year.

Klemmer, nineteen years old and physically equipped to give an antelope an argument over a quarter of a mile, was clocked 46.4 seconds. It equaled the official world's record set in 1932 by lanky Ben Eastman, of Stanford.

There was no dispute on the time Four officials caught him at the world's record. One stopped the watch at 46.3 and a sixth time-clicked at 46.5.

Washington State's reliable Bill Dale, of Victoria, B.C., won the 880-yard run in the excellent time of 1:51 7.

The biggest reversal of form was charged to Pat Haley, Washington State sophomore from Trail, B.C., figured to win the 100 and 200-yard dashes easily. He went unplaced in the century, although some observers thought he was up for a third place, and he took third in the 220-yard event. He won the 220-yard low hurdles without difficulty in 23.7 seconds.

In the scramble for the team championship the U.S.C. Trojans merely ran true to form. The 1941 crowd of stars assembled by Coach Dean Cromwell piled up points throughout the meet to make it a walk away in the final computation.

EASY VICTORY

The Trojans totaled 73 points; California, expected to make a real fight of it, ran a dragging second with 48½ points. Stanford and Washington State tied for third with 24 tallies each The rest finished as follows: Idaho, 14, U.C.L.A., 12½; Washington, 9; Oregon, 8, Montana, 6, and Oregon State, 6

Five new Conference records were established in the quarter, half and mile runs, the high jump and the javelin throw.

One casualty was noted Eugene Swanzey, of Washington, was hit on the leg by a discus thrown by Carl Merritt, of U.S.C It caused him to withdraw from the 880-yard run and the accident also forced Washington to withdraw its team in the mile relay

Aside from Klemmer's great run in the quarter, the high jump and mile run produced outstanding performances. Les Steers, of Oregon, who already holds the unofficial world's record of 6 feet 10⅞ inches in the high jump, won easily at 6 feet 9 inches

Phil Leibowitz, of Idaho, opened the meet with a thrilling win in the mile run. The time was 4 09 3, fastest in the Far West this year.

Bob Peoples, of U.S.C. sent the javelin on a flight of 231 feet 1 inch.

CAPTURES MATCH BY FOUR POINTS

President's Team Defeats Captain's In Annual Match at Oak Bay Links

The president's team scored a 10 to 6 victory over the captain's in the annual match held yesterday at the Oak Bay links of the Victoria Golf Club Following the feature the members of both teams adjourned to the clubhouse to attend the supper. In the feature argument, Hon. John Hart, club president, teamed up with professional Phil Taylor to defeat Roger Peachey, captain, and Alan Taylor

Results, with the president's team first mentioned follow

Hon John Hart and Phil Taylor 1, Roger Peachey and Alan Taylor 0.

Walter Newcombe and Dr G. B. Bigelow 1, J Squire and W P. Bou[illegible]dett 0

A J Ross and G P Melrose 0, C C Simpson and H G Garrett 1.

J. A Rithet and J P Paret, 1-2, Dr W T Barret and W B Leach, 1-2

J A O'Dwyer and J MacDonald 1, Hew Paterson and Col R L. Fortt 0

W Pinfold and F M McGregor 1, C W Henley and C J. Pendray 0.

J W Ruggles and E D Todd 0, Stanley Allen and Major Swan 1.

W H Newcombe and W H M Haldane 1, A S. O. Musgrave and A Watson 0

C. P Rutherford and A B Crump 1, B P Schwengers and W. J. R. Peers 0

S A Haynes and H E Haynes 1-2, Major Wise and W M McMillan 1-2.

R F Castle and Carew Martin 0, Cedric Walker and J M Sturdy 1.

H J Davie and R C Field 1, C. W. Pangman and H J Crane 0.

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C Stanley and H O S Heisterman 0, Judge Shandley and Charles E Wilson 1

Juvenile Lacrosse

Foul Bay, Oakland and Clarkson-Painters turned in victories in the juvenile division of the Victoria Boxla League last night at the Willows Sports Centre. The Bays trimmed the Saanich Beavers, 13-3, while the Oaks beat out The Colonist squad, 6-4, and Clarkson-Painters edged out The Times lads, 8-7.

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BILL DALE WINS HALF-MILE EVENT IN THE SOUTH

Preston Captures War Cup Fixture; Defeats Arsenal

Robert Beattie Scores Two Goals in North End's Victory Over Gunners in Final Before 45,000 Spectators—Many Fainting Cases Are Reported—Drake Is Injured

BLACKBURN, England, May 31 (CP)—Preston North End defeated Arsenal, 2-1, today to win the War Cup Final.

Robert Beattie scored both Preston's goals, netting the first one after a scoreless first half, in the forty-ninth minute of play.

Gallimore, who kicked into his own net, got the goal which was credited to Arsenal, and Beattie scored his second goal from the ensuing kick-off.

The maximum crowd permitted, 45,000, saw the game, in which the atmosphere resembled peace-time Wembley. There were many fainting cases.

Only two new men were on the teams which played a 1-1 draw at Wembley, May 10. Today's match was a replay. Arsenal substituted Drake for Leslie Compton because of Drake's speed and Preston brought in Mansley, in place of Scott, who has a twisted knee.

The game was faster than that at Wembley but did not produce so much skill.

Beattie pierced the Arsenal defence early, giving O'Donnell a chance but he could only claim a corner. Drake narrowly missed counting. Then Preston made a fierce attack, only to be deprived of a score by McLaren's great save.

Preston took the initiative in the second half, the whole team swarming into Arsenal territory before Beattie opened the scoring. Taking a short pass from McLaren, Beattie sank the ball into a corner.

An injury to Drake handicapped Arsenal and fifteen minutes from the end he retired. The Gallimore and Beattie scores followed in a minute.

When a free kick was given against Gallimore, Bernard Joy went up among the Arsenal forwards and made a harmless shot which Gallimore kicked into his own net, causing the crowd to roar "lucky Arsenal!"

The Northerners put on pressure, Dougal and Beattie taking the ball down the field, and Beattie scored. From then on Preston played confidently and carefully.

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Captures $10,000 Memorial Handicap at Hollywood Park Track

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The fine-looking chestnut gelding, owned by Edward B. Moore, of Wyoming, was never worse than fourth after the field got away, while Mrs C. D Harper's Strong Arm took over the lead at the far turn.

Strong Arm couldn't hold off the rush of Battle Colors, however, and had a tough duel in the stretch with Louis B. Mayer's Painted Veil to hold on to the place position.

Battle Colors ran the distance in 1.23 3-5. He paid $3.80, $3.00 and $2.40. Strong Arm paid $4.80 and $3.00, and Painted Veil paid $2.80.

George (The Iceman) Woolf rode the winner and probably will have him in the Hollywood Derby July 12.

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Some fine prizes will be at stake and the tickets will be sold at a very nominal fee. A draw will also be made from a revolving drum and prizes of all kinds will be the result. Tickets will go on sale tomorrow and they will be good at both alleys from 10 o'clock in the morning, the day of the event, until midnight. Members will be in attendance every night at the alleys to dispose of tickets to those who will compete in this big tournament.

Umpire Calls Hoag Safe at Second

Traditional gesture of the outspread hands accompanies Omp's "safe" decision as Hoag, of the Chicago White Sox, reaches second base safely on his two-base hit to left field in fourth inning of game at the Yankee Stadium. Rizzuto, of the Yankees, takes Keller's throw-in of the hit at the sack. Sox won, 13-1.

Ted Williams and Pete Reiser Lead In Major Leagues

Young Members of the Boston Red Sox and Brooklyn Dodgers Setting Pace in Batting Races—Former Far Ahead in American Circuit—Feller Is Leading Pitcher

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This amazing streak placed him fifty-three points ahead of Bill Dickey, the New York catcher, who is hitting a handsome .376, a gain of three points over last week. Roy Cullenbine, of St. Louis, lost five points but still ranks third at .373, followed by Joe Cronin, Boston, .372, Cecil Travis, Washington, .369; Jeff Heath, Cleveland, .358, Bruce Campbell, Detroit, .357; Sam Chapman, Philadelphia, .351; Luke Appling, Chicago, .344, and Dominic DiMaggio, Boston, .344.

Rudy York, Detroit's bulky first baseman, also hit a hot streak last week, clouting four home runs to take charge of this department with twelve. This long distance hitting also brought him the runs batted in leadership with forty-three runs.

Cronin is setting the double-hitting pace, sixteen, Travis is tops in triples with seven, and George Case, of Washington, supplanted Dom DiMaggio as the top base stealer. The little DiMag has six and Case seven.

Bob Feller, of Cleveland, notched two more victories, giving him ten won and two lost. The Indian ace also stretched his strikeout mark to eighty-four, whiffing twenty-one men in two games.

Connie Mack's ambitious Athletics displaced the Red Sox as team batting leaders at .283. Cleveland retained its superior rating on defence and the Yankees tacked on eight more double plays, giving them sixty-three in forty-two games.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

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Pat Haley, of Trail, B.C., was named to compete in the 100-yard dash and the low hurdles, while Bill Dale, of Victoria, was chosen for the 880-yard race.

Bill Hayward, of the University of Oregon, dean of the conference mentors, was named coach of the team. All ten members of the circuit were represented.

Grover Klemmer, University of California sophomore, equaled the world's 440-yard dash record of 46.4 seconds in the Pacific Coast Conference championships here today, but was not named in the quarter-mile. He was listed as a member of the California relay team, winners of the conference title in 3 13.6, which was selected intact as conference representative in the interleague competition.

HOLLYWOOD RACING

HOLLYWOOD PARK, May 31—Results here today follow:

FIRST RACE—Five furlongs.
Black Heels (Parise) $9.60 $5.60 $3.80
Sundria (Longden) 4.20 3.00
Big City (Neves) 4.40
Time, 1.00 2-5. Also ran: Roxana, Jacomina, Valdina Sis, Lydias Crede, Little Tosses, Real Coral, Lili's Day, In Vegas, Judie, Chetaceous, Epicycle, Blue Dress.

SECOND RACE—Seven furlongs.
Slappy (Bailey) $13.60 $6.00 $4.20
Sobecano (Pearson) 4.20 2.80
Tary Tom (Corbett) 4.00
Time, 1.23 2-5. Also ran: Shadoon, Merlin Marie, Cenoipe, Vain Star, Iron Smith, Parcina, Ships Bells, Goodanwarm.

THIRD RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth.
Day Dawn (Jones) $7.00 $3.60 $2.80
Callemates (Deering) 4.20 2.60
Pundit (Longden) 2.80
Time, 1.45 2-5. Also ran: Don Brellon, Uneasy, Kaps Answer, The Gums, Key Em Bee.

FOURTH RACE—Five furlongs.
Madie Greenock (Rodriguez) $8.00 $4.60 $3.00
Lawyers Light (Neves) 7.20 4.00
Opening Bid (Longden) 2.80
Time, 1.00. Also ran: Pio Pico, Sinhale Bako, Las Cruces, Bunted.

FIFTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth.
African Queen (Pearson) $13.20 $8.40 $4.00
Arsenne Woods (Neves) 3.80 3.00
Gay Jacket (Westrope) 3.20
Time, 1.44 3-5. Also ran: Lucies Sun, Friendly Paul, Twist, Iron Bunker, Good Taste.

SIXTH RACE—Seven furlongs.
Vain Bo (Corbett) $13.00 $6.60 $4.60
Wing and Wing (Neves) 3.80 2.80
Teddy Kerry (Rodriguez) 6.60
Time, 1.24. Also ran: At Play, Best Beau, Journey On, Perfect Rhyme, Party Spirit, Alberta Jay.

SEVENTH RACE—Seven furlongs.
Battle Colors (Woolf) $3.80 $3.00 $2.40
Strong Arm (Neves) 4.80 3.00
Painted Veil (Westrope) 2.80
Time, 1.23 3-5. Also ran: Buckhorn Creek, Pirate, Paper Boy, Gold Camp, Banter Bun, Wildebeest.

EIGHTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth.
Mount Vernon II (Corbett) $5.00 $3.00 $2.80
Royal Crusader (Westrope) 3.00 2.60
Dungeon (McDermott) 4.60
Time, 1.48 2-5. Also ran: Gold Today, Aries, Tit Jerry, Omelet.

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

FIRST RACE—Five furlongs.
Valdina Joan [illegible]
Reno Mae [illegible]
Seedee [illegible]
Vain Noah [illegible]
Green Elf [illegible]
Magic Mab [illegible]
Lovers Lass [illegible]
Bonita [illegible]
Oriole Maiden [illegible]
Mutton Brown [illegible]
Sabin Bream [illegible]
Amys Second [illegible]
Queen Saree [illegible]
Spy Ann 118

SECOND RACE—One mile.
Cineser [illegible]
Galvale [illegible]
Kanter [illegible]
Double A [illegible]
Frank Henry [illegible]
Losey [illegible]
Orown Splash [illegible]
Roey Doon [illegible]
Air Speed 120

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs.
Rita Gauna [illegible]
Vegas Justice [illegible]
War Virago [illegible]
Rye Sweep [illegible]
Don Lees [illegible]
Becky Lass [illegible]
Over Gold [illegible]
Justice Nap [illegible]
Tramp On [illegible]
Square Diamond [illegible]
Irish Cup [illegible]
Hi Order [illegible]
Tar [illegible]
Flying Back [illegible]

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs.
Querfus [illegible]
Get On [illegible]
Red Jewel [illegible]
Valdina Rose [illegible]
Southern Jane [illegible]
Fleets Star [illegible]
Valley Roy [illegible]
Canfield [illegible]
Valdina Mary [illegible]
Ever Hopeful [illegible]
Jalagold [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
Valdina Orphan [illegible]

FIFTH RACE—Seven furlongs.
Red Ar[illegible] 118
Golden Chance 116
Knight Call [illegible]
Devaine [illegible]
Ignrelle [illegible]
Sun By [illegible]
[illegible]
Swell Chance 116
Tin Pan Alley 115

SIXTH RACE—Mile and one-eighth.
Stringalong 108
Scotch High 116
Iraska [illegible]
Newmarket [illegible]
[illegible]
Valdina Mina [illegible]
Batting Kate [illegible]
Foster [illegible]

SEVENTH RACE—Six furlongs.
Flying Stream [illegible]
Lady Roan [illegible]
Turkish Betty [illegible]
Urge Me [illegible]
Hera Lu [illegible]
Heather Time [illegible]
Lute Trip [illegible]

EIGHTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth.
Bureau Trail 100
Sun Phantom 118
Exercise 119
Instagal 114
Sir Stratton 118
Palmers T[illegible] 119
Day Dodger [illegible]
Little Lona 114
Strombus 112

First post, 2 p.m.
Weather, clear; track fast.

VICTORIAN SCORES GREAT TRIUMPH IN CONFERENCE EVENT

Races to Excellent Triumph in 1:51.7 in California—Pat Haley Beaten in Both Sprints but Wins Hurdles—Grover Klemmer Smashes World's Record in 440-Yard Dash

BERKELEY, Calif., May 31 (AP)—Long-gaited Grover Klemmer, of California, raced to a world record tying time in the 440-yard dash to claim individual honors today in the Pacific Coast Conference track and field championships that saw Southern California run off with the team title for their sixth successive year.

Klemmer, nineteen years old and physically equipped to give an antelope an argument over a quarter of a mile, was clocked 46.4 seconds. It equaled the official world's record set in 1932 by lanky Ben Eastman, of Stanford.

There was no dispute on the time. Four officials caught him at the world's record. One stopped the watch at 46.3 and a sixth time-clicked at 46.5.

Washington State's reliable Bill Dale, of Victoria, B.C., won the 880-yard run in the excellent time of 1:51.7.

The biggest reversal of form was charged to Pat Haley, Washington State sophomore from Trail, B.C., figured to win the 100 and 200-yard dashes easily. He went unplaced in the century, although some observers thought he was up for a third place, and he took third in the 220-yard event. He won the 220-yard low hurdles without difficulty in 23.7 seconds.

In the scramble for the team championship the U.S.C. Trojans merely ran true to form. The 1941 crowd of stars assembled by Coach Dean Cromwell piled up points throughout the meet to make it a walk away in the final computation.

EASY VICTORY

The Trojans totaled 73 points; California, expected to make a real fight of it, ran a dragging second with 48½ points. Stanford and Washington State tied for third with 24 tallies each. The rest finished as follows: Idaho, 14, U.C.L.A., 12½; Washington, 8, Oregon, 8; Montana, 6, and Oregon State, 6.

Five new Conference records were established in the quarter, half and mile runs, the high jump and the javelin throw.

One casualty was noted. Eugene Swanzey, of Washington, was hit on the leg by a discus thrown by Carl Merritt, of U.S.C. It caused him to withdraw from the 880-yard run and the accident also forced Washington to withdraw its team in the mile relay.

Aside from Klemmer's great run in the quarter, the high jump and mile run produced outstanding performances. Les Steers, of Oregon, who already holds the unofficial world's record of 6 feet 10¾ inches in the high jump, won easily at 6 feet 9 inches.

Phil Leibowitz, of Idaho, opened the meet with a thrilling win in the mile run. The time was 4.09.3, fastest in the Far West this year.

Bob Peoples, of U.S.C., sent the javelin on a flight of 231 feet 1 inch.

CAPTURES MATCH BY FOUR POINTS

President's Team Defeats Captain's in Annual Match at Oak Bay Links

The president's team scored a 10 to 6 victory over the captain's in the annual match held yesterday at the Oak Bay links of the Victoria Golf Club. Following the fixture the members of both teams adjourned to the clubhouse to attend the supper. In the feature argument, Hon. John Hart, club president, teamed up with professional Phil Taylor to defeat Roger Peachey, captain, and Alan Taylor.

Results, with the president's team first mentioned, follow:

Hon John Hart and Phil Taylor 1, Roger Peachey and Alan Taylor 0.

Walter Newcombe and Dr G. B. Bigelow 1, J Squire and W. P. Bowden 0.

A J Ross and G P Melrose 0, C. C Simpson and H. G Garrett 1.

J A Rithet and J P Paret, 1-3, Dr W T Barrett and W B Leach, 1-3.

J A O'Dwyer and J MacDonald 1, Hew Paterson and Col R L Fortt 0.

W Pinfold and F M McGregor 1, C W Henley and C J. Pendray 0.

J W Ruggles and E D Todd 0, Stanley Allen and Major Swan 1.

W H. Newcombe and W H M Haldane 1, A S O Musgrave and A Watson 0.

C P Rutherford and A S Crump 1, B P. Schwengers and W J. R. Peers 0.

S A Haynes and H E Haynes 1-2, Major Wise and W M McMillan 1-2.

R F Cartle and Carew Martin 0, Cedric Walker and J M Sturdy 1.

H J Davis and R C Field 1, C. W Pangman and H J Crane 0.

W Parry and C. L McLaughlin 1, F R George and L S V York 0.

H O Lawson and Dr J W Lennox 0, S. K Campbell and S S Heisterman 1.

J H Harman and C O Heisterman 1, O H Symons and F Scofield 0.

C. Stanier and H G S Heisterman 0, Judge Shandley and Charles E Wilson 1.

WINNERS AT DUNCAN

DUNCAN, May 31—Medal rounds for men and women were played at the Cowichan Golf Club yesterday, the proceeds, $20, being given to the Spitfire Fund. R. E. Baiss was winner of the prize for low gross score. S C Robinson won the low net and for the ladies Mrs H N Watson was winner of both low gross and net. Prizes were donated by Miss Jean Duncan and N E Suddaby. Tea was served at the clubhouse, under the convenership of the ladies' captain, Mrs. G Droob. She was assisted by Mrs W H Smith, Mrs. J S Creighton, Mrs O T Smythe and Mrs. A. S Irvine. The tea tables were attractively decorated with red, white and blue flowers to emphasize the object of the competition.

Juvenile Lacrosse

Foul Bay, Oakland and Clarkson-Painters turned in victories in the juvenile division of the Victoria Boxla League last night at the Willows Sports Centre. The Bays trimmed the Saanich Beavers, 13-3, while the Oaks beat out The Colonist squad, 8-4, and Clarkson-Painters edged out The Times lads, 8-7.

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DODGERS AND WHITE SOX ARE NEARING LEADERS

Brooklyn Defeats Giants, 5-2; Reds Score Over Cards

Chicago Advances Within a Game and a Half of Pace-Setting Clevelanders by Defeating St. Louis —Vander Meer Wins for Cincy— Medwick Leads Dodgers' Attack

By The Canadian Press

The hot-and-cold Cincinnati Reds cut St. Louis' hold on first place in the National League to a single game yesterday by winning, 5-2, for an even break in the four-game series, while second-place Brooklyn beat the Giants by the same score.

In so doing, the champions sent Lon Warneke to his first defeat after a string of five victories that made him tops in the loop, and gave Johnny Vander Meer his fourth triumph of the year and a percentage of .500.

Extra-base blows figured in all the Reds' scoring: Frank McCormick's double, Chuck Aleno's first of two hits, a single, and Ernie Lombardi's two-bagger for a pair in the second. Eddie Joost's double, a sacrifice and an outfield fly for one in the fifth and McCormick's single, Aleno's triple and Ernie Koy's double for a final brece in the eighth.

Si Johnson of the Phils and Manuel Salvo of the Boston Braves hooped up in a pitchers' duel and although the Phils were outhit six to four they won out, 1-0, to give them the rubber game in the series.

The lone score came in the fourth when Outfielder Joe Marty smashed out a double and came home on First Baseman Nick Etten's single.

The Brooklyn Dodgers landed on Carl Hubbell for four runs in a big third inning and went on to whip the Giants, 5-2, and stretch their winning streak to eight straight.

After playing to 56,487 in yesterday's double-header, in which the Dodgers pinned two defeats on the Giants, the two clubs attracted 23,753 today. Ducky Medwick paced the Dodger attack with a homer, a triple and a single.

SOX WIN AGAIN

The Chicago White Sox, playing just well enough to protect their four-game winning streak, advanced to within a game and a half of first place with a 4-2 victory over the St. Louis Browns.

It was Chicago's sixth win in eight games with the Browns and their fourteenth triumph in their last nineteen games.

Young Jack Hallett wobbled badly in the early innings, yielding five hits and four bases on balls in three frames. Then he settled down and hurled hitless ball until the eighth, becoming the thirtieth White Sox pitcher to go the route in forty-one games.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

		R	H	E
St. Louis	010 001 000—	2	6	0
Cincinnati	020 010 02x—	5	10	0

Batteries—Warneke and Mancuso. Vander Meer and Lombardi.

		R	H	E
Boston	000 000 000—	0	5	0
Philadelphia	000 100 00x—	1	4	1

Batteries—Salvo, Early and Berres; S Johnson and Warren.

		R	H	E
Brooklyn	004 000 010—	5	11	2
New York	100 000 001—	2	8	2

Batteries—Casey, M Brown and Owen; Hubbell, Wittig and Danning.

Chicago at Pittsburgh, postponed, rain.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

		R	H	E
St. Louis	101 000 001—	3	7	0
Chicago	120 010 00x—	4	8	3

Batteries—Harris, Trotter, Kramer and Ferrell; Hallett and Tresh.

New York at Cleveland, Boston at Detroit, postponed, rain (only games scheduled).

COAST LEAGUE

First game—		R	H	E
Oakland	002 300 010—	6	9	1
Portland	000 000 000—	0	7	1

Batteries: Salveson and Raimondi; Harrell, Orrell and Schutz.

Second game—		R	H	E
Oakland	110 001 0—	3	8	2
Portland	210 020 x—	5	8	0

Batteries: Ananicz and Raimondi; Speece and Annunzio.

		R	H	E
San Diego	003 214 010—	11	18	1
Los Angeles	511 001 022—	12	22	3

Batteries: Hebert, Humphreys, W Thomas and Detore, Prim, Stine, Berry, Coffman, F Thomas and Collins.

		R	H	E
Sacramento	104 014 030 000 0—	13	25	3
San Francisco	150 007 000 000 1—	14	22	2

Batteries: Turbeville, Green (3), Martin (7), Munger (8), Freitas (12) and Caplinger, Jansen, Epperly (3), Kittle (7), Ballou (8) and Ogrodowski, Sprinz.

		R	H	E
Hollywood	000 020 004—	6	11	0
Seattle	000 200 100—	3	9	2

Batteries: Dasso, Tost and Dapper; Cole and Campbell.

WESTERN INTERNATIONAL

		R	H	E
Wenatchee	000 010 000—	1	7	4
Salem	300 000 00x—	3	5	0

Batteries: Williams and Ferrell; Helser and Adams.

		R	H	E
Vancouver	001 000 003—	4	9	2
Spokane	302 000 00x—	5	9	1

Batteries: Tate and Lingua, Kinnaman and Beard.

		R	H	E
Tacoma	400 000 200—	6	9	1
Yakima	200 040 001—	7	12	1

Batteries: Cadinha and Stoeber, Lien, Greer and Sueme.

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Minneapolis 5, St Paul 2.

WIN AWARDS IN STAMP CLUB EXHIBIT

PORTLAND, Ore., May 31 (AP).—Henry Whittaker, Victoria, B.C., and R R Thiel, Tacoma, Wash., won championship awards in the Northwest Federation of Stamp Club exhibit here yesterday.

Thiel received awards in four other divisions and Whittaker in one. Other winners included Malcolm Nicholson, two divisions, and Alan C Shrivener, both Vancouver, B.C., and Robert Wulff, New Westminster, B.C.

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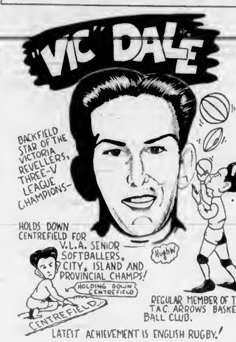


Military Activities

5th (B.C.) COAST BRIGADE, R.C.A. (R) C.A.

Orders by Lieut.-Col J C Harris, V.D., Officer Commanding 5th (B.C.) Coast Brigade, R C A (R) C A

Duties for week ending 7-6-41—Orderly Officer, 2nd Lieut. R. T. Wallace; Orderly Sergeant, A-L.-Sgt W. O. McPherson.

Parades — Wednesday, June 4 Woolen Mills, 14 30 hrs; Thursday, June 5, Woolen Mills, 20 00 hrs; Saturday, June 7, War Loan Parade, 12:45 hrs.

Victory War Loan Parade — The Brigade will parade as strong as possible to take part in the War Loan Parade to be held on Saturday, June 7, at 14 00 hours. Fall in at corner of Hillside and Douglas Streets at 13 45 hours sharp. Dress web equipment skeleton order. The band will attend.

Employments—Camp Period—All cooks, butchers, bakers and mess help who are willing to serve in their various capacities during the camp period will report to the Bde Q.M.S. Other ranks desirous of qualifying in any of the above positions may also report for information.

Officers' Web Equipments—Officers' web equipment is now available at Q.M. stores for issue to all officers.

Recruiting—There are still vacancies for new recruits in this unit. Men physically fit, between the ages of eighteen and forty-five years will be accepted.

P. T. STERN,
Major and Adjt. 5th (B.C.) Coast Bde R C A (R) C A

3rd BATTALION, THE CANADIAN SCOTTISH REGIMENT (R.) C.A

Orders by Lieut.-Col F S J Stephenson, Officer Commanding 3rd Battalion, The Canadian Scottish Regiment (R) C A

Duties—Orderly Officer for week ending June 7, 1941: 2nd-Lieut. R B S Crombie, next for duty, 2nd Lieut. J. E. Moore. Orderly Sergt for week ending June 7, 1941, K479055 Sergt. A Robilliard; Orderly Corporal for week ending June 7, 1941, K479177 A-Cpl. F W Tyrrell.

Parades — Monday, June 2, 1941. Companies will parade at Armadale at 19 45 hrs Commanding Officer's parade at 20 00 hrs · training as per syllabus: Wednesday, June 4, 1941. Companies will parade at Armadale at 18 45 hours, training as per syllabus.

Notice All other ranks are requested to attend parade Monday, June 2, for the purpose of drawing Summer dress for camp.

D FYVIE,
Capt and Adjt for Officer Commanding 3rd Bn, The Canadian Scottish Regiment (R) C A

114th INFANTRY RESERVE CO. VET. GUARD OF CANADA (R) C A.

Company orders by Major J A Dewar Officer Commanding 114th Infantry Reserve Co, Veterans Guard of Canada (R) C A

Duties—Orderly officer for week ending June 7, 1941 Lieut T. B Mathieson; next for duty, 2nd Lieut L. Glazan. Orderly Sergeant for week ending June 7, 1941 K503033 Cpl. P. A Fitzsimmons; next for duty, K503023 Cpl. J. Barnsley.

Parades — Wednesday, June 4, 1941 Company will parade at Bay Street Armoury at 18 45 hours. Training as per syllabus. Friday, June 6, 1941, company will parade at Bay Street Armoury at 18 45 hours. Training as per syllabus.

D. FYVIE.
Capt. and Adjt. for Officer Commanding, 3rd Bn., The Canadian Scottish Regiment (R) C.A.

No. 2 ECHELON, 6th DIVL. SUPPLY COLN., R.C.A.S.C. (R.), C.A.

Regimental orders by Captain H A Hanson, commanding officer.

Duties—Orderly officer for week ending Saturday, June 7, 1941, Lieut. W. M Skillings. Orderly sergeant for week ending Saturday, June 7, 1941, K532156 A-Sgt D Stewart; next for duty, K532065 A-Sgt. E. H Harris. Orderly corporal for week ending Saturday, June 7, 1941, K532164 A-Cpl. V. J Simmons; next for duty, K532096 A-Cpl D. Laird. Orderly sergeant will report by telephoning daily to orderly room.

Parades—Tuesday, June 3, 1941. Unit will parade at the Woolen Mills at 18 45 hours. Dress, skeleton order. All personnel will attend. N.C.O. class will parade at the Woolen Mills at 19 45 hours. Dress, skeleton order. Wednesday, June 4, 1941 N.C.O. class will parade at the Woolen Mills at 19 45 hours. Dress, skeleton order. Friday, June 6, 1941, N.C.O. class will parade at the Woolen Mills at 19 45 hours. Dress, skeleton order.

H A HANSON, Captain.
For major officer commanding, 6th Divl Supply Coln R C A S C (R), C A.

NO. 13 FIELD AMBULANCE R.C.A.M.C. (R.F.)

Orders by Lieut.-Col. E H W Elkington, Officer Commanding, for week commencing June 1, 1941.

N.C.O. Course—Class No. 2 will parade at the Woolen Mills at 20 00 hours, Tuesday, June 3, and Friday, June 6, 1941. Dress, Tuesday, battle order for kit inspection Friday, drill order.

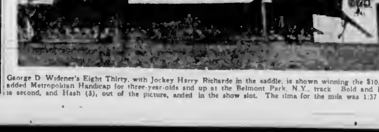
Parades—The unit will parade at the Woolen Mills, Tuesday, June 2, 1941, at 20 00 hours for kit inspection. Other ranks will parade with all clothing, greatcoats and web equipment issued since date of enlistment. Dress, battle order. The unit will parade at the Woolen Mills Friday, June 6, 1941, at 20 00 hours. Dress, drill order, skeleton web equipment.

E H W ELKINGTON,
Lt.-Col., O C No. 12 Field Ambulance, R C A M C (R F)

GUNFIRE IN MEDITERRANEAN

LONDON, June 1 (Sunday), (AP).—A Reuter's News Agency dispatch from Vichy said reports from Algeciras, Spain, told of heavy gunfire from the Mediterranean early this morning. Algeciras is just across the bay from Gibraltar.

Eight Thirty Winning $10,000 Event



George D Widener's Eight Thirty, with Jockey Harry Richards in the saddle, is shown winning the $10,000 added Metropolitan Handicap for three-year-olds and up at the Belmont Park, N.Y., track. Bold and Bad is second, and Hash (5), out of the picture, ended in the show slot. The time for the mile was 1:37 1-5.

UNBEATEN IN LEAGUE PLAY

James Bay and McLean's Bakery Setting Merry Pace in Lacrosse

Running roughshod over all opposition in their respective divisions, James Bay and McLean's Bakery gutted stick aggregations are setting a merry pace in the race for city boxla honors. The Bays have registered five straight triumphs, and the younger bakery squad has scored four victories in as many starts.

Manager Ted Menzies' proteges look like the club to beat in the current season's race and so far at least, have met with little or no real opposition. However, the season is quite young, and according to reports drifting along boxla row, the Alerts, Bays' greatest rivals last year, will soon be doing considerable strengthening. Wally Williams, one of the members of the 1940 "kid line," is back in the city and will soon don an Alerts' uniform. A consistently high scorer, Williams will give his clubmates added scoring punch.

Riding along in third berth, two points behind the Alerts, the Army squad, playing for the first time in the Greater Victoria Box Lacrosse Association, is reported to be picking up new men. The soldiers already have a number of smart stickhandlers on their roster, and give every indication of rounding into a first-class aggregation.

Jokers, lowly cellar occupants last season, are still resting on the bottom rung of the ladder. They have been unable to hit their winning stride in four contests this season, but Coach Jimmy Smith, now in charge of the club, hopes soon to have his boys stage an evacuation of the cellar berth.

McLEANS ON TOP

Manager Bob McInnes' McLean's Bakery squad is riding at the top of the standings in the junior circuit and is picked in some circles to retain the honors they won last year. Douglas Tire and Owl Drug, bracketed in second place, can be expected to provide some competition for the leaders. Heaneys, cellar occupants, have dropped four games, but must not be counted out of the race. The transfer company representatives appear to hit early form in each of their contests and then fade out of the picture in the late periods.

Next boxla games at the Victoria Sports Centre will be played Friday evening. Alerts and Army will cross sticks in the senior contest at 8.30 o'clock, and Owl Drug and Heaneys, junior squads, will meet at 7 o'clock.

THE STANDINGS

Standings of the clubs in the Greater Victoria Box Lacrosse Association up to and including games of last Friday, follow:

Senior League

	P.	W.	L.	Pts
James Bay	5	5	0	10
Alerts	4	2	2	4
Army	3	1	2	2
Jokers	4	0	4	0

Junior League

	P.	W.	L.	Pts
McLean's Bakery	4	4	0	8
Douglas Tire	4	2	2	4
Owl Drug	4	2	2	4
Heaneys	4	0	4	0

EAGLES LEADING SECOND DIVISION

Birdmen Undefeated in Minor League Baseball—This Week's Games Announced

HOW THEY STAND

Second Division

	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Eagles	3	3	0	1.000
Tillicum Cubs	3	2	1	.667
Cedar Hill A's	3	1	2	.333
Navy	2	0	2	.000
Pitzer & Nex	1	0	1	.000

With victories over Tillicum Cubs, Pitzer & Nex and Cedar Hill Athletics to their credit, Manager Tommy Griffin's Eagles ball tossers are leading the Humphreys Cup race according to the official standings announced yesterday.

However, the birdmen's undisputed occupation of the premier berth will be threatened this week when they meet the second-place Tillicum Cubs.

All clubs in the Second Division circuit will play two games this week, the schedule being as follows:

TUESDAY

6.00—Tillicum Cubs vs. Eagles, Beacon Hill (lower diamond).
6.00—Cedar Hill Athletics vs. Navy, Beacon Hill (upper diamond).

THURSDAY

6.00—Eagles vs. Pitzer & Nex Beacon Hill (lower diamond).
6.00—Navy vs. Tillicum Cubs, Admirals Road.

FRIDAY

6.00—Pitzer & Nex vs. Cedar Hill Athletics, Beacon Hill (lower diamond).

MEETING TODAY

All Second Division managers are requested to meet the league executive this morning at Royal Athletic Park at 10:45 o'clock. There are a number of matters to be ironed out, and a full turn out is requested.

WILL UNFURL PLEDGE FLAG

Premier Pattullo and Herbert Anscomb to Speak at Ceremony Tomorrow

At a colorful ceremony, having as its theme the pledge of the Victoria Division to raise $5,400,000 as its quota of the $600,000,000 Victory Loan, the honor flag of the Lower Vancouver Island area will be unfurled at the masthead of the specially-erected sixty-five-foot-pole on the Causeway tomorrow at 12 30 o'clock noon.

Under the convenership of Mrs Alan Campbell, a committee has worked out an impressive ceremony in which the "Honor Pledge Flag" will be raised to the top of the flag pole amid solemn rites. A guard of honor consisting of detachments from the three forces, together with the Royal Canadian Artillery Band, will attend. Herbert Anscomb, M.P.P., will preside.

Very Rev. Spencer Elliott, Dean of Columbia, will say the prayers and as the flag is hoisted to the masthead, the band will play "O God, Our Help in Ages Past." Premier T. D. Pattullo will give a short patriotic address expressing the feelings of all British Columbians in this drive to raise funds with which to prosecute Canada's war effort.

This ceremony, together with the patriotic rally to be held in the Royal Victoria Theatre at 8 15 p.m. tomorrow, will officially launch the local drive. The rally will be broadcast over CFCT through the courtesy of the B.C. Electric Railway Company for those who are unable to gain admission or cannot attend on account of illness. Prior to the rally, the Royal Canadian Artillery Band will play outside the theatre from 7.30 to 8.15 p.m. Inside the theatre the R.C.A.F. Band will play for the benefit of early comers.

The meeting will open with the singing of "O Canada" after which J. W. Spencer, chairman of the Victoria Division, will speak. This will be followed by Miss Nellie Small's Scottish Pipe and Drum Band and Scottish Dancers group. Others on the programme will include Miss Peggy Walton, dramatic soprano, who is making her debut on returning from a year's studies in New York, Thomas Crabbe, well-known baritone, the Girls' Drill Team, and the R.C.A.F. Band. Brief addresses will be given by Dr Henrietta Anderson, Albert Sullivan and Bruce Hutchison.

Don McDiarmid and Eleanor Young Top Canadian Net Lists

Ottawa and Vancouver Tennis Players Ranked First in the Dominion for Year—Jean Milne And Caroline Deacon Well Up

MONTREAL, May 31 (CP).—Don McDiarmid, of Ottawa, and Eleanor Young, of Vancouver, were given top ranking today in lists issued by the Canadian Lawn Tennis Association of the Dominion's ten leading men and women tennis players in 1940.

Lewis Duff, of Montreal, killed in an airplane accident near London, Ont., last Winter while training with the Royal Canadian Air Force, was ranked second in the men's division.

Five other Montreal players, two from Toronto and one from Vancouver were included in the remaining eight named.

Jean Milne and Caroline Deacon, both of Vancouver, were ranked second and third, respectively, in the women's division. Four Montreal players, two from Ottawa and one from Nova Scotia received the remaining rankings.

Because of insufficient data, the association did not list Bruce Hall, of Toronto, W. P. Pigot, Hamilton, Gordon Robinson, Niagara Falls, Ontario; E. L. Tarshis, Montreal, or Laird Watt, Montreal, in its men's rankings. For the same reason, Mrs. Frank Fisher, Claire Walsh and Mrs. W. R. Walton, Toronto, were not named in the women's division.

The association said that the rankings issued today would stand for 1941 as well as 1940 because it had decided against holding any Dominion championships this year.

The men were ranked as follows: Don McDiarmid, Ottawa; Lewis Duff, Montreal; Ross Wilson, Toronto; Roger Durivage, Montreal; Phil Pearson, Montreal, J. W. O'Hara, Montreal, Dr. Georges Leclerc, Montreal, R. N. Watt, Jr., Montreal, J. E. Brawn, Vancouver, and M. Margesson, Toronto.

Women's rankings follow: Eleanor Young, Vancouver; Jean Milne, Vancouver, Caroline Deacon, Vancouver; Winnifred McConnell, Ottawa; Mrs. Gordon Willis, Ottawa; Mrs. Rene Bolt, Montreal, Rosette Renshaw, Montreal; Francoise Lacasse, Montreal; Helen McGrady, Montreal, and Jean Wright, Petite Riviere, N.S.

BOAK CHOSEN

Among twenty-nine councillors at large elected were six from British Columbia. They were W. Metcalfe, E Corfield, A. M Chesser, R. N. Urquhart, B A. Rhoades and A R. Jackson. Harry Monk, of Vancouver, was named provincial councillor for British Columbia, and Dr. E. W. Boak, of Victoria, Western vice-president. R. N. Watt, Sr., of Montreal, was re-elected president.

LEND-LEASE FOOD SHIPMENT LANDED

Great Britain Receives First Shipload From United States Under New Legislation

LONDON, May 31 (CP).—The first shipload of food from the United States under the Lend-Lease Bill has reached a British port. It included 1,000 tons of flour, 4,000,000 eggs and 120,000 pounds of cheese.

Henry Harriman, charged with expediting provisions of the Lease and Lend Bill, was welcomed aboard the ship after unloading had begun. He formally transferred the cargo, acquired for Britain by the United States Agriculture Department.

Lord Woolton, Minister of Food, received the cargo for Britain.

Edmonton Seat to Be Filled Monday

EDMONTON, May 31 (CP).—Voters of Edmonton East go to the polls on Monday to choose a representative in the House of Commons who will fill the vacancy caused by the death of F C Casselman, Liberal, elected in the 1940 general elections.

There are three candidates in the by-election — Mrs Cora T. Casselman, widow of the former member and Liberal candidate, Orvis Kennedy, New Democracy-Social Credit, and A. A MacLeod, of Toronto, People's candidate.

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RADIALS DEFEAT NANAIMO IN PROVINCE CUP, 3-1

Up-Island Squad Eliminated From Football Series

Vancouver Team Proves Too Strong for Nanaimo And Wins Decision Without Trouble—Winners Lead 3-0 at One Stage—North Shore and St. Saviours Meet on Saturday

VAANCOUVER, May 31 (CP) — Nanaimo City passed out of the Province Cup competition at Con Jones Park today when Radials beat them 3-1 in the semi-final round. The winners now await the outcome of the North Shore United vs. St. Saviour's semi-final, which is to be played next Saturday, to see who they play for the silverware in the final on June 14.

Nanaimo had no excuses for being beaten today. They were inferior to the winners, who were quicker on the ball, stronger in kicking, and much more methodical in passing. Noticeable on the Island team was the prevalence of aging players including Orville Boyd, Ernie (Fat) Edmunds and Frank English. At the same time, two other "veterans," Alex (Sandy) Thompson and George (Uke) Gray, played splendidly throughout. Pete Inkster was also outstanding in goal, and but for his fine work the score would have been much heavier.

Eric Camp was the best man on the field, and was almost unpassable in his third-back position for the winners, while Johnny Sinclair and Laurie Pallott completed a half-back line which proved too big a stumbling block for Nanaimo's forwards. Johnny MacKay and Hugh Greer carried too many tricks in the inside forward positions for Radials, with the result that their wingers received all kinds of splendid openings.

Rain, which fell all morning, and continued most of the game, left the ground in such a greasy state on top that the players could not keep their feet.

WEST OPENS SCORE

Nanaimo opened up promisingly and Grey put in a lovely overhead shot which Lawrie just got too near the post and cleared. In ten minutes, however, Radials took the lead when Bilton completely missed his kick in trying to clear a centre from Liptrot, and George West crashed the ball past Inkster for the opening goal.

From a goal-kick the sphere went out to West, who drove it back goalwards, and "Hap" Smith deflected it into the net past Inkster, making it 2-0 within five minutes of half time.

Nanaimo switched their team around on resuming, Gold moving up to centre-forward, Johns falling back to left-half, and Thompson going to centre-half.

Radials went further ahead after fifteen minutes' play in the second half as the result of a mis-kick by Bilton. The left-half attempted to boot the ball forward near mid-field but merely swept it straight across the field to Liptrot, and the Radials' outside left ran through to within five yards of the Nanaimo goal, drew Inkster out of position, then squared the ball to Greer, who had nothing to do but tap it into the unguarded goal.

Nanaimo then gave their best display of the whole match, and a centre from English brought a mad scramble in the Radials' goalmouth, with seven or eight players striving desperately for the ball which bobbed about on the line. Gold had a fine chance to shoot it home, but was too weak with his kick and it was blocked by Lawrie.

With only two minutes to go, English put over a long centre, and with the Radials' full-back spread-eagled, Gold calmly headed the ball into the top right-hand corner of the net, well out of Lawrie's reach.

The teams:

Nanaimo City: Pete Inkster (goal), Bob Watson and Harry Bilton (backs), Orville Boyd, Jimmy Gold and Alex Thompson (half-backs), Art Denton, Alvin Parks, Les Johns, George Grey and Ernie Edmunds (forwards). Spare, Frank English.

Radials: Bert Lawrie (goal); Don Cowan and Tommy McKibbin (backs), Johnny Sinclair, Eric Camp, and Laurie Pallott (half-backs); George West, Johnny MacKay, "Hap" Smith, Hugh Greer and Reg. Liptrot (forwards).

Referee: Paul King.

WONDERFUL MANKIND:

The landscape architect was showing an ignorant newly rich woman over a formal garden.

"What's that?" she asked.

The landscape architect told her it was a sundial.

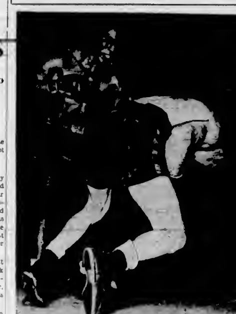
"What's a sundial?"

Whereupon her companion patiently explained how the sun, moving through the heavens, casts a shadow which is recorded on the dial indicating the time of day.

The woman beamed with interest.

"My! What will they be thinking of next?" she exclaimed.

Bounced Up Again to Lose



Lightweight Champion Lew Jenkins, of Sweetwater, Texas, sinks to the canvas in the ninth round after Bob Montgomery, of Philadelphia, Pa., landed a swinging punch on the top of his head in their ten-round non-title bout at Madison Square Garden, New York City. Lew got up before the count could start, and fought back in a lost cause. Montgomery was awarded the decision. In a previous meeting of the two, Jenkins took the decision.

Says Characters of British Cleansed in Long Ordeal by Fire

Correspondent Finds People Still Standing Tough And Obstinate, Puzzled by Many of Their Earlier Littlenesses

By H. J. J. SARGINT
Consolidated News Features

LONDON, May 31.—Let us take off from the horrors of war: from Mr. Hess, from Syria and from the invasion of the fair land of Crete where I once lived, and let us ponder a little on how the lives of men and women here in England and especially the lives of the younger persons are being affected by the so-called blitz.

The health, both moral and physical of the country has stood up to this ordeal amazingly. I speak more familiarly of life in London because with very occasional breaks I have spent the whole of the war in this city and my record of raids is as high as anyone's.

As is well known, we began with daylight raids which affected community life very little and anyhow they did not last long. Even Goering's busy factories could not stand up to a daily loss which was working up to something like 200 planes every twenty-four hours. When night bombing first started, practically all evening entertainments were suspended, but such is the toughness of the younger Briton of either sex that that phase did not endure. Familiarity bred a measure of contempt for the night bomber. Night clubs, bottle parties and other places of entertainment raised their heads again. Places which had been closed reopened and new ones sprang up, many of them especially designed to attract service men on leave.

WITHIN REASONABLE LIMITS

The police do not look with favor on night entertainment and as far as possible try to keep the spread of these places within reasonable limits, but they do not want to stop them altogether, particularly as the people who frequent them behave on the whole with the most admirable restraint.

For months past I have not seen a drunken man in London. This is not altogether due to the high cost of drink. There is plenty to be got by people who have the money to buy it. It is just that there is quite definitely far less drunkenness in the country now than in the first World War.

The same may be said of crime. Much is made in the papers about looting. Every now and then there is a sensational report that valuable furs or jewels have been removed from some shop, but police statistics show that the overwhelming majority of thefts relate to food, cigarettes and tobacco. Even the looting of such things is much to be regretted, but somehow there does not appear to be the same measure of moral turpitude about the theft of tobacco, of which the country is now a little short, as there would be about the looting of a diamond tiarra, for instance, or a mink coat.

POSITIVE CONSIDERATIONS

Apart from these negative considerations, there is something positive which should be chronicled about the British character today. There is an atmosphere of better manners abroad in the land; not so much the manners which connote an absence of quarreling or bad language. There is any amount and occassionally horrible language is used. When your house comes tumbling down about your ears you may be excused the strongest of oaths. But there is a display of human kindness in circumstances of great tragedy which reveals the basic soundness of these people.

The traditional standoffishness of the English has vanished. When people are huddled in shelters in reception areas, sometimes even in wardens' posts, their clothes all dyed in the new fashionable shade of "demolition grey," they have no time for formalities. There you get sheer human fellowship and a friendliness no less sincere because it is purely accidental.

PURIFIED BY FIRE

I have noticed during the last few months, a great reduction in the amount of grumbling and nagging one hears whenever crowds gathered and somehow one feels that all these poor people still standing tough and obstinate after nearly two years of war in some way have been purged of many of their earlier littlenesses. They have literally gone through fire and have been purified. If the war has done nothing else it has cleansed and scoured the characters of those who stand up confidently, but with no sense of being heroes against the hordes of Hitler.

Coming Back - By Jack Sords

VISCOUNTY WINS HANDICAP EVENT

CHICAGO, May 31 (AP)—Valdina Farm's Viscounty, the 6-5 favorite, won a two-lengths triumph in the $5,000 Francis S. Peabody Fields today.

Woolford Farm's Technician edged out W. C. Hobson's Shine o'Night for second.

MANY HOUSES CONSTRUCTED IN DISTRICT

Oak Bay, Saanich and Esquimalt Permits for Month Total $213,529

BUILDING FOR WEEK VALUED AT $56.220

Permits for construction valued at $213,529 were issued by Oak Bay, Saanich and Esquimalt last night. City figures were not available yesterday. Saanich led with work to cost $114,647, followed by $86,782 in Oak Bay. Esquimalt permits totaled $12,100 for the month.

During the past week, Greater Victoria building inspectors issued thirty-two permits for construction valued at $56,220. Oak Bay led with five permits for $25,630, Saanich issued seven for $16,285, and the city twenty permits for $14,305. No new dwellings were commenced in Esquimalt.

City permits included one to O. A. Rudd for a four-room dwelling at 943 Bank Street, $2,500; Ralla Bligh, alterations to a house at 924 Hillside Avenue, $1,000, Royal Bank of Canada, vault extension at 1108 Government Street, $6,500; A. Baillie, five-room house at 2536 Blackwood Street, $2,400, and a $1,500 permit to R. W. Payne to make additions to a house owned by J. Grant at 3091 Shelbourne Street.

SAANICH DWELLINGS

Of the seventy-five permits issued in Saanich during May, forty-seven were for dwellings to cost $111,300. In May, 1940, the municipality issued seventy-seven permits valued at $125,726. Of these, fifty-seven were for homes erected at a cost of $122,356. During the first five months of the present year, Saanich granted 398 permits valued at $585,801. Of these, 268 were for houses valued at $562,560. For the first five months of 1940, the 233 permits granted were valued at $386,722 including 161 dwellings costing $364,874.

In Oak Bay last month there were thirty-seven permits issued with a value of $86,782. Of these twenty-two were for houses with a value of $82,847. During May, 1940 there were thirty-five permits issued with a value of $96,775, and of these twenty-seven were for houses valued at $90,650. During the five months of this year there were 145 permits issued in Oak Bay with a value of $399,057. Of these ninety-six were for houses with a value of $358,177, or an average of $3,731. For the same period of the preceding year there were 113 permits issued, valued at $297,275, of which seventy-six were for houses with a value of $277,750, or an average of $3,654 each.

ESQUIMALT PERMITS

In Esquimalt the record for the month of May in building differed little this year over the same period of 1940. During May, 1940 the building figures showed $13,050 for the whole month. For the first five months of 1940 the total building represented $72,400. For May, 1941, building amounted to $12,100. For the five months of the present year in Esquimalt permits represented $78,182.

Saanich permits of the past week included seven homes valued at $15,600. Dorothy L. Bissicks will build on Guernsey Road a three-roomed home costing $1,200. W. W. Worswick will build on Lansdowne Road a four-roomed home valued at $2,200, on Cumberland Road, E. F. Neal will build a four-roomed home valued at $2,600, A. Trace will build at Saanich Road and Vernon Avenue a five-roomed home valued at $2,500; R. E. Harrison will build on Jasmine Avenue a five-roomed home valued at $3,500, on Colquitz Avenue A. Kerby will build a four-roomed home valued at $2,000; H. A. Warner will build on Derby Road a four-roomed home valued at $1,600.

OAK BAY HOUSES

Oak Bay buildings for which permits were issued during the past week include the following: For H. R. Brown a seven-roomed home valued at $8,330 at 3285 Weald Road, at 1337 St. David Street an eight-roomed home costing $8,000 by Eli Hume & Son, for Chamberlain & Allan at 663 Monterey Avenue, a five-roomed home costing $3,000, for Paine & Townsend at 2761 Dewdney Avenue, a seven-roomed home costing $4,500, at 870 Falkland Road, a five-roomed home costing $3,800 for A. W. B. Jones.

Nazi Papers Make Food For Bonfire

MONTEVIDEO, Uruguay, May 31 (AP)—Irate students started street bonfires today with the first issue of the pro-Nazi newspaper Libertad, which they seized from newsboys.

Several hundred copies were fed into the flames before police intervened.

FRENCH FORCES ARE FACING EACH OTHER

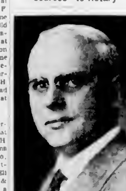
LONDON, May 31 (CP)—The British Broadcasting Corporation said today Vichy forces in Equatorial Africa have made a move to place themselves opposite the Free French Forces who are in control of the Chad territory.

The B.B.C. said a battalion of French Colonial troops have been placed on the West Coast of Lake Chad and have taken over a military post and established a wireless station and an airdrome.

The post stands opposite a post of Free French forces on the other side of the lake.

PROFESSOR TO ADDRESS CLUB

E. S. Farr Will Speak on "British Columbia Resources" to Rotary



PROF. E. S. FARR

CLUB CALENDAR

MONDAY — Gyro Club, luncheon meeting, Empress Hotel, 12.10 p.m.

TUESDAY — Kiwanis Club, luncheon meeting, Empress Hotel, 12.10 p.m. Women's Canadian Club, Empress Hotel 2.30 p.m.

THURSDAY — Rotary Club luncheon meeting Empress Hotel 12.10 p.m. Lions Club, luncheon meeting Spencer's dining-room, 12.10 p.m.

Professor E. S. Farr, of Victoria College, will be the guest speaker at the Rotary Club luncheon on Thursday. He will take as his subject: "British Columbia Resources."

The service clubs will also observe Strawberry Week, with short addresses being given at their luncheons. H. C. Oldfield will be the speaker at the Rotary meeting.

STRAWBERRY WEEK

Members of the Saanich Fruit Growers' Association will attend the Kiwanis Club luncheon on Tuesday, when J. J. Woods, superintendent of the Dominion Experimental Station at Saanichton, will speak. Members of the Tourist Trade Group of the Chamber of Commerce, who are cooperating on Strawberry Week with a committee from the Saanich Board of Trade, will also attend.

The annual election meeting of the Women's Canadian Club will be held on Tuesday afternoon. Miss Edna Jaques will be the speaker and Norman Tyrrell the soloist.

The name of the Gyro Club speaker tomorrow has not been disclosed, but the regular type of programme will be held.

A closed meeting will be held by the Lions Club on Thursday, when Deputy District Governor W. D. Wallace, Vancouver, will pay an official visit to the club. New members will be inducted.

FUSSY

As the inquisitive man sat on a seat in the park he watched a shabby individual coming along, picking up cigarette-ends.

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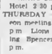
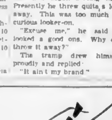


Had to show up at a garden bun-fight .. grizzly business ... but found myself quite "It" ... Admitted the fact to Angela. She said, "No, darling, not you but your Gold Flake" ... Catty, but possibly astute.



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Victoria Unit Team Captain
Members of his team: W. E. Speed, Harry Hankins, W. Everett, Howard Jones and H. P. Black

J. D. CUNN
Victoria Unit Team Captain
Members of his team: T. Blackman, P. Russell, William Irvine, O. S. V. Bourchier and D. Maberry.

AL. BUTCHART
Saanich Unit Team Captain
Members of his team: O. Rev. O. O. B. Johnston, B. Sheppard and B. Garner

FRED LEWIN
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Covering Colwood, Langford, Metchosin and William Head

V. RIDGWAY
Saanich Unit Team Captain
Members of his team: J. W. Odell, D. Elliott, James Ellis, H. E. Mathews, W. E. Pyewell, C. E. Jones, J. Ellis, R. B. McCallum and P. Lewis

O. RABBIS
Saanich Unit Team Captain
Members of his team: A. Denoff, E. Perkin, P. A. Robertson and L. A. McLaren, Saanich Peninsula workers; P. Bergh, B. Tennent, R. Roberts, H. Lewis, J. Jorgensen, W. A. Bell, Gordon Robertson, W. A. Bell, Gordon, G. V. Williams and Thos. Orsino

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On June 2, there will be unleashed on the Greater Victoria and Lower Island area, as far north as Chemainus, teams of citizen salesmen qualified to answer any questions regarding the Victory Loan Drive in which you are asked to participate.

These men are giving their time. Back of them is an organization of volunteer workers who have donated their services throughout this Campaign and its preliminary stages to make the drive a success.

Do your part by co-operating. Be charitable in your outlook. If there is a duplication of calls, remember the magnitude of the task that confronts the salesmen. Understand that such duplication is not intentional. The only desire of the salesmen is to give every citizen an opportunity to make an individual investment in the war effort, thus enabling Canada to stand side by side with other members of the Commonwealth of Nations in this great cause to which the Empire and her Allies are dedicated.

HELP THESE MEN TO PUT THE VICTORY LOAN OVER THE TOP

FINANCING OF VICTORY LOAN BONDS

Many inquiries have been received by the Victory Loan Headquarters as to the position with respect to loans on Victory Loan bonds from the chartered banks after the five months' period provided for in the application form has elapsed. It is known that the banks will finance the bonds at the coupon rate until all payments are completed within the five months period. After that date the banks will loan 90% to 95% of face value at an interest rate of 4%. This means that $950 can be secured from the bank against a $1,000 Victory bond, and it will cost in interest less only $10 for a whole year.

THE MOST YOU CAN LEND IS THE LEAST YOU CAN DO

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AROUND the DIAL

TODAY'S HIGHLIGHTS

7 30 a.m.—Pope Pius XII will give a message, KOL.

12:30 p.m.—James Melton, tenor sings, KIRO, KNX, KVI.

8:00 p.m.—Prime Minister Mackenzie King will deliver a radio address to the people of Great Britain. Prime Minister Churchill will reply on behalf of Britons to the Canadian address. He will be followed by Minister of Justice Ernest Lapointe, who will speak for the people of French Canada CBR.

TODAY'S NEWS BROADCASTS

Morning — 8 00, CBR, CJOR, CKWX; 8 30, KOL; 8:30, KIRO, 8.55, CBR, 10:00, KOL; 10.30, KIRO; 11:15, KOMO.

Afternoon—12 15, KOMO, KOL, 12.30, CFCT, CKWX; 1 00, CBR, 2 00, CJOR; 2 45, CBR, CJOR, CKWX; 3:00, KJR; 3:15, KIRO; 3 30, KIRO; 3:50, CBR, 4 45, KOL, 4.55, KIRO.

Evening—6 30, CKWX, 7 00, CBR CJOR; 7:25, KIRO; 8 00, KJR, 8 00, KOL, CJOR; 8:20, CKWX, 8 30, CBR, KJR; 10.00, CKWX, 10:15, CBR, KIRO; 10 30, KOL 11:55, CBR, KIRO.

NEWS BROADCASTS TOMORROW

Morning — 8.00, CBR, CKWX, CJOR, KOMO, 8 15, CFCT, KIRO, 8 45, CBR, CKWX; 8 00, KOL, 10 00, KOL; 10 30, CBR, KJR; 10.45, CJOR, 11.30, KIRO; 12 00 noon, KOL; 12 05, CKWX.

Afternoon — 12 15, KJR, 12.30, CFCT, CBR, CJOR, 1 00, KOL, 1.15, KIRO; 2 30, KOL; 2 45, CBR, CJOR, 3 15, KOMO; 4 00, KIRO KOL; 4 30, KIRO; 4 45, KIRO CJOR, 4 55, CBR, KIRO; 5 00 KOL.

Evening — 6 30, CFCT, CKWX, KOL; 7.00, CBR, CJOR; 7 15, KOL, 7 45, CJOR, 7 55, KIRO; 9 00, KOL; 8 30, KJR, KOL; 8 55, KIRO; 10 00 CKWX, KOMO; 10.15, CBR, KIRO; 10 30, KOL; 10 45, CJOR, 11 45, KOL; 11 55, CBR, KOMO, KIRO, KOL, CKWX

Sunday's Programme

(The following programmes are compiled by the various broadcasting companies and are subject to change.)

7:30 A M —Message From Pope Pius (KOL)

8:00 A M —B B C. News (CBR, CJOR, CKWX)
Compass Mission (KOMO)
Voice of Tomorrow (KJR)
Church of the Air (KIRO)
T Tucker's Orchestra (KOL).

8:15 A M —Between Ourselves (CBR)
Sunrise Symphony (CJOR)
I'm An American (KJR)
Sons of the Pioneers (CKWX)

8:30 A M.—Overseas Concert (CBR)
Pageant in Art (KOMO).
Music Hall (KJR).
Swedish Tabernacle (KIRO).
News and Music (KOL).
Classical Gems (CKWX)

8:45 A M —On Parade (CKWX)
Harmony Hall (KOL).

9:00 A M —Children Calling Home (CBR)
British Children in U S Talk to Parents (KOMO).
Church of the Air (KIRO).
This Is Fort Dix (KOL)
Bible School (CJOR)
Hawaiian Serenade (CKWX).

9:15 A M —Christian Science (KOL).

9:30 A M —Kello, Children (CBR).
On Your Job (KOMO)
J. Beasle (KJR)
Mealtime With Lytell (KJR).
News (KIRO)
Melodious Memories (CKWX)

9:45 A M —Old Country Mail (CBR)
Around the Sound (KIRO).
Songs for Sunday (KOL).

9:55 A M —News (CBR)

10:00 A M —Old Country Mail (CBR).
Fellowship Hour (KOMO).
Hidden Mystery (KJR)
News (KOL)

10:15 A M —Just Mary (CBR)
Foreign Policy Ass'n (KJR).
Romance of the Highways (KOL)

10:30 A M —Religious Period (CBR).
Chicago Round Table (KOMO)
Church of the People (KJR)
Press News (KIRO)
Canadian Chorus (KOL).
God's Hour (CJOR)
Singing Stars (CKWX)

10:45 A M —J Beasle (KJR)
Boys Town Commencement Exercises (KOL)
At the Organ (CKWX)

11:00 A M —Columbia Broadcasting System (CBR)
Concert Petite (KOMO)
African Trek (KJR)
Plymouth Services (KIRO)
A Mooney's Orchestra (KOL)
Metropolitan Tabernacle (CJOR)
First United Church Services (CKWX).

11:15 A M —H V Kaltenborn (KOMO)

11:30 A M — Howard and Shelton (KOMO)
Talent Limited (KJR)
University Christian Church (KOL).

12:00 Noon—Citizenship Recognition Day (KOL)
Mixem and Matchem (KOMO).
The Hymn Singers (KIRO)
National Vespers (KJR)

12:15 P M —Upton Close, commentator (KOMO)
The Shining Hour (KIRO)
Sane (KOL).

12:30 P M —Church of the Air (CBR)
C Dant's Music (KOMO).
Behind the Mike (KJR)
The Pause that Refreshes (KIRO).
A Rey's Orchestra (KOL).
Rosario Bourdon (CJOR)
News (CKWX)

12:45 P M —Ballad Music (CJOR)
Music for Sunday (CKWX)

1:00 P M —News, 1 05, Concert in Miniature (CBR).
Joe and Mabel (KOMO)
Rev A J Bard (KJR)
Musical Steel Makers (KOL).
King's Messenger (CJOR)
Matinee in Rhythm (CKWX)

1:15 P M.—Dream Girl (KIRO).

1:30 P M —R Shields' Orch (CBR)
Old Songs of the Church (KOMO)
Rex Henry Ness (KJR)
Time Out for Dancing (KIRO).
C Spivak's Orchestra (KOL).
Shut-In Programme (CJOR)

1:45 P M —George Bard (CJOR)

2:00 P M —Silver Theatre (CBR)
Catholic Hour (KOMO)
Church of Christ (KJR).
Burl Ives, songs (KIRO).
Bulldog Drummond (KOL)
News (CJOR).
Boston "Pops" Concert (CKWX).

2:15 P M.—C B C. Military Band (CBR)
K Baron's Orchestra (KJR)
Rhythm Times (KIRO)
Pacific Coast Mission (CJOR).

2:30 P M —Dr. I Q. (KOMO)
National Youth Administration (KJR)
Gene Autry (KIRO)
Petite Serenade (KOL).
Howard Scott (CKWX)

2:45 P M —News (CBR, CJOR, CKWX)
This Is Your Heritage (KOL).

2:55 P M —Dear Mum (KIRO).

3:00 P M —Neighborly News (CBR).
Professor Puzzlewit (KOMO).
European News (KJR)
Cats n' Jammers (KOL).
Shall We Waltz (CJOR).

3:10 P M —Cats 'n Jammers (KOL).

3:15 P M —Melody Album (CBR).
News (KIRO)
Foursquare Gospel Service (CJOR).

3:30 P M —Watson Thompson, speaker (CBR)
Sendwagon (KOMO)
Lutheran Gospel Hour (KJR).
News (KIRO)
Afternoon Serenade (KOL).

3:45 P M —News, 3 50, Address by the Chief of General Staff, H D G Crerar (CBR).
Wythe Williams (KOL)

4:00 P M —Columbia Workshop (CBR, KIRO)
Charlie McCarthy (KOMO).
The Gospel Clinic (KJR)
American Forum of the Air (KOL).
Three-Quarter Time (CKWX)

4:15 P M —Calvin Hour (CJOR).

4:30 P M —Carry on Canada (CBR).
One Man's Family (KOMO).
Talk by Rep. B. Dickstein (KJR).
Music for Sunday (KIRO)
Slightly (CKWX)

4:45 P M —Song of the Strings (KJR)
News (KOL)
Gospel Messengers (CJOR).

4:55 P M —News (KIRO).

5:00 P M —We Have Been There Col W J Donovan, speaker (CBR).
Manhattan Merry-Go-Round (KOMO).
C Dant's Music (KJR)
Summer Hour (KIRO)
Old-Fashioned Revival Hour (KOL).
Concert Caravan (CKWX)

5:15 P M.—British-Israel Talk (CJOR)

5:30 P M —U.B.C Music Hour (CBR)
American Album of Music (KOMO)
Bookman's Notebook (KJR)
Echoes From the Screen (CKWX).

5:45 P M —Bill Stern (KJR)
Church in the Wildwood (CJOR)
Maybe It's Your Eyes (CKWX)

6:00 P M.—Victory Loan Broadcast by Prime Minister King (CBR CKWX)
Hour of Charm (KOMO).
Good-Will Hour (KJR)
Nobody's Children (KOL)
Take It or Leave It (KIRO).
Church of the Air (CJOR)

6:15 P M — Maybe It's Your Eyes (CKWX)

6:30 P M —Theatre Hour (CBR)
Deadline Dramas (KOMO).
Helen Hayes Theatre (KIRO).
For Your Information (KOL).
Concert Hall (CJOR)
News (CKWX)

6:45 P M —Excursions in Science (KOL)
Your Civilian Editor (CJOR, CKWX)

7:00 P M —News (CBR, CJOR)
Nicholl's Radio Parade (KOMO)
Inner Sanctum Mysteries (KJR).
Crime Doctor (KIRO).
O Keatler (KOL)
Sunday at Seven (CKWX)

7:15 P M —Britain Speaks (CBR KOL)
Dear John (KOMO)
Lives of the Great (CJOR)

7:25 P M —News (KIRO).

7:30 P M —Joint Recital (CBR).
Jack Benny (KOMO).
R. Kinney's Orchestra (KJR)
Hollywood Smarty Party (KIRO).
Chicagoland Concert (KOL).
Christ Church Cathedral (CJOR).
First United Church Service (CKWX).

7:45 P M.—Tropical Moods (KJR).

8:00 P M —Classics for Today (CBR)
Walter Winchell (KOMO).
News; Jan Savitt's Orchestra, 8:05 (KJR)
G. Arnheim's Orchestra (KIRO).

8:15 P M.—Parker Family (KOMO).
Talk by W O. Fuller, subject

8:30 P M —What Did They Think? (CBR)
Carefree Carnival (KOMO)
Dick Himber's Orchestra, News, 8 55 (KJR)
Hancock Ensemble (KOL).

8:45 P M —Orchestra (KOL).

9:00 P M —Hugh Bancroft, organ (CBR)
Night Editor (KOMO).
Orchestra (KJR)
I Was There (KIRO).
News (KOL, CJOR)
Father and Son Programme (CKWX)

9:15 P M —Armchair Cruises (KOMO)
Mrs Earnest Lundeen Answers
Singing Strings (KOL)

9:20 P M.—War News Digest (CKWX)

9:30 P M —K B C. Radio Newsreel (CBR)
Inside Stories (KOMO)
Mixem and Matchem (KOMO).
News Reporter (KJR)
Mac Dolin and Orchestra (KIRO).
Mystery Hall (KOL)
The Shadow (CKWX).

9:45 P M —Inside Stories (KOMO).
Music (KJR)

10:00 P M —Vespers (CBR)
Richfield Reporter (KOMO).
Orchestra (KJR)
R Noble's Orchestra (KIRO).
J. Savitt's Orchestra (KOL)
News (CKWX).

10:15 P M.—News (CBR)
Bridge to Dreamland (KOMO)
Temple Hour (KJR)
News Roundup (KIRO)
Home Folks (CKWX)

10:30 P M — Bridge to Dreamland (CBR)
Hollywood Temple Hour (KJR)
News Review (KOL).
Reverie (CKWX)

10:45 P M —Freddy Martin's Orchestra (KOL)
At Close of Day (CKWX).

11:00 P M —Dance Orchestra (CBR)
Columbia Symphony (KIRO).

11:30 P M —D Marshall's Orchestra (CBR)
Conversation at the Console (KIRO).

11:55 P M —News (CBR, KIRO).

CFCT, Victoria, B C. (1480 Kcys.)
11 00 a m —Christ Church Cathedral.
12 30 p m —News Summary
5 15 p m —Concert Time
5 30 p m —Christian Science Programme
5 45 p m.—Concert
6 00 p m —Waltzes
6 30 p m.—Your Civilian Editor.
6 45 p m —Stardust
7 00 p m —Well-Known Hymns
7 15 p m —Cathedral Bells
7 30 p m —Christ Church Cathedral

Monday's Programme

8:00 A M — News (CJOR, KOMO, CKWX, CBR)
Breakfast Club (KJR)
Kate Smith Speaks (KIRO).
Haven of Rest (KOL)

8:15 A M — Questions of the Hour (CBR)
Musical Handyman (KOMO).
Bella Kandell, Singer (KJR)
News (KIRO)
Sons of the Pioneers (CKWX)
Range Riders (CJOR).

8:30 A M —The Kelladeers (CBR).
V Lindlahr, Diet Expert (KOMO)
National Farm and Home Hour (KJR).
Romance of Helen Trent (KIRO).
Just About Time (CKWX).
Breakfast Club (CJOR).

8:45 A M.—News (CBR, CKWX).
Our Gal Sunday (KIRO).
Here's a Song for Today (KOL)

9:00 A M —The Happy Gang (CBR)
Heart of Julia Blake (KOMO).
Life Can Be Beautiful (KIRO)
News (KOL)
Good Morning, Neighbor (CKWX).
Shut-In Programme (CJOR)

9:15 A M —Bess Johnson (KOMO).
Totem News Reporter (KJR)
Woman in White (KIRO).
Breakfast Club (KOL)
Pete Lost and Found (CJOR).

9:30 A M —P. Richardson's Orchestra (CBR)
Ellen Randolph (KOMO).
Our Silent Partner (KJR)
Ray Daughters (KOL)
Women in White (CJOR).
Singing Stars (CKWX)

9:45 A M —Dr Kate (KOMO)
Ann Sterling Wonders (KJR).
Songs of a Dreamer (KIRO)
Arizona Joe (KOL)
The Fishermen (CKWX).
Gospel Singer (CJOR)

10:00 A M —For Our Listeners (CBR)
Light of the World (KOMO)
Big Sister (KIRO).
News (KOL)
Sweethearts (CKWX).
Musical Jackpot (CJOR)

10:15 A M —Our Family (CBR).
Mystery Man (KOMO).
Art Baker (KJR)
Aunt Jenny's Real Life Stories (KIRO).
Pieces of Song (KOL)
Father and Son Programme (CKWX)

10:30 A M —News (CBR)
Valiant Lady (KOMO).
Inquiring Reporter (KJR)
Presentation of Annual Paley Award to an Amateur Radio Operator (KIRO)
Naval Air Station Broadcast (KOL).
Origin of Superstition (CKWX).
Victor Birouda (CJOR)

10:45 A M —A Godfrey (CBR)
A Grimm's Daughter (KOMO)
Midstream (KJR)
Kate Hopkins (KIRO)
News (CJOR)
Three-Quarter Time (CKWX).

11:00 A M —Big Sister (CBR)
Against the Storm (KOMO).
Orphans of Divorce (KJR)
Martha Webster (KIRO)
Sharps and Flats (KOL)
Rhythm and Romance (CKWX).
Big Sisters (CJOR)

11:15 A M —Dr Susan (CBR)
Ma Perkins (KOMO)
Amanda of Honeymoon Hill (KJR).
Golden Treasury of Song (KIRO)
D. Daley's Orchestra (KOL)
Dr Kuman (CJOR)

11:30 A M —A Friend Indeed (CBR)
Guiding Light (KOMO)
John's Other Wife (KJR)
News (KIRO)
Starred for Listening (KOL)
Club Calendar (CKWX)
Singin' Sam (CJOR)

11:45 A M —Composers' Corner (CBR)
Vic and Sade (KOMO).
Just Plain Bill (KJR)
Woman of Courage (KIRO).
Musical Roundup (KOL)
Capsules of Melody (CJOR).

12:00 Noon — K C. Farm Broadcast (CBR)
Backstage Wife (KOMO).
Mother o' Mine (KJR)
Singin' Sam (KIRO)
News (KOL).
Nite of the Day; 12 05, News (CKWX)
Fourth Floor Studio (CJOR)

12:15 P M —Stella Dallas (KOMO).
Totem News Reporter (KJR)
Myrt and Marge (KIRO)
Christian Businessmen (KOL).
Earnest Colton (CKWX)

12:30 P M —News (CBR, CJOR)
Lorenzo Jones (KOMO).
Club Matinee (KJR)
The Story of Bess Johnson (KIRO).
Johnson Family (KOL)
Club Matinee (KJR)
Music for Moderns (CKWX)

12:45 P M —Club Matinee (CBR)
Young Widder Brown (KOMO)
Stepmother (KIRO)
Melody Supplement (KOL).
Ballad Music (CJOR)

1:00 P M —"Will That Dress Wash?" (CBR).
Home of the Brave (KOMO).
Human Interest Stories (KJR).
Hymns of All Churches (KIRO).
John Hughes (KOL)
One o'Clock Revue (CKWX)
Tropical Moods (CJOR)

1:15 P M —W Campbell (CBR)
Portia Faces Life (KOMO).
Garden of the Air (KJR)
News (KIRO)
Confessions of a Cureals (KOL).
Sue's Notebook (CJOR)

1:30 P M —Richard Crooks, tenor (CBR)
Home Service Programme (KOMO).
Reeds in Rhythm (KJR).
The O'Neills (KIRO)
We Are Always Young (KOL).
Music and Song (CKWX)

1:45 P M — [illegible] M Martin (KOMO).
Cowboy Joe (KJR)
Scattergood Baines (KIRO).
E Adam's Future (KOL)
Studio Party (CJOR)

2:00 P M The Three Sons Trio (CBR)
P Young's Family (KOMO)
Southernaires (KJR)
Housewives Inc (KIRO)
Capt. Sally, Arms Girl (KOL)
Billy Brown's Brevities (CKWX)

2:15 P M.—Mirror for Women (CBR)
Lone Journey (KOMO).
C Dennis, singer (KJR)
Hedda Hopper (KIRO)
As the Twig Is Bent (KOL)

2:30 P M —Songs by Lowry Kohler (CBR)
Reveries (KOMO)
Buck Privates and His Girl (KJR).
Joyce Jordan (KIRO)
News With Hughes (KOL).

2:45 P M —News (CBR, CJOR)
Homekeepers' Calendar (KOMO).
Wings on Watch (KJR)
Treat Time (KIRO)
Let's Play Bridge (KOL)

3:00 P M —Salon Group (CBR)
Maurice and His Orch. (KOMO)
This Is the Show (KJR)
The Second Mrs. Burton (KIRO).
Music (KOL).
Afternoon Floor Show (CKWX).
Life Can Be Beautiful (CJOR)

3:15 P M —News (KOMO)
Young Dr Malone (KIRO)
Nera's Morgan (KOL)
Mile Tappe (CKWX)
Ma Perkins (CJOR)

3:30 P M —Back From the Blitz (CBR)
That Girl From Fishers (KOMO)
Wife Saver (KJR)
When a Girl Marries (KIRO).
Afternoon Serenade (KOL)
Stringing Along (CKWX)
Guiding Light (CJOR)

3:45 P M —Social Series (CBR)
News (KOMO)
American Medical Association Convention (KJR)
The World Today (KIRO)
Right to Happiness (CJOR)

4:00 P M — Victory Loan Broadcast (CBR)
The Telephone Hour (KOMO).
Goodwill Talk (KJR)
News (KIRO)
Fulton Lewis (KOL)
South Sea Serenade (CKWX)
Road of Life (CJOR)

4:15 P M —Musical Programme (CBR)
Alma Kitchell's Kriefcase (KJR)
Job Finder and Lost and Found (KIRO)
Ma Perkins (KOL)
Famous Voices (CJOR).

4:30 P M —Marching in Swingtime (CBR).
J Johnson, Singer (KOMO)
F Wicker Children's Stories (KJR).
News (KIRO)
Band Wagon (KOL)
Echoes of the British Empire (CKWX)
The O'Neills (CJOR)

4:45 P M —Paul Carson (KOMO).
The Bartons (KJR)
News (KIRO)
Playboys (KOL)
News (CJOR).

4:55 P M —News (CBR, KIRO).

5:00 P M —Radio Theatre (CBR KIRO)
Dr. I Q. (KOMO)
String Serenade (KJR).
News (KOL)
Old Folks at Home (CKWX)
Ranger's Cabin (CJOR)

5:15 P M —Waltz Time (CKWX).
Passing Parade (KOL).

5:30 P M —With the Troops in England (CBR)
The Spirit of the Air Corps (KOMO)
Drama Behind the News (KJR).
Shaftes Parker's Circus (KOL).
The Hawk (CKWX)
Tillicum Club (CJOR).

5:45 P M —Ted Steele's Orchestra (KJR)
Captain Midnight (KOL).
Orphan Annie (CKWX)
Concert Hall (CJOR)

6:00 P M —G. Jenkins Orch (CBR).
Contented Programme (KOMO).
Scandinavian Reporter (KJR)
G Lombardo's Orchestra (KIRO).
Concert in Rhythm (CKWX).
What's On Tonight (CJOR).

6:15 P M — Totem News Reporter (KJR)
Mary Small (KOL)
Supper Dance (CJOR).

6:30 P M —Troops to England (CBR)
Cavalcade of America (KOMO)
Radio Forum (KJR)
Blondie (KIRO)
John Hughes (KOL).
News (CKWX)
Sports Review (CJOR)

6:45 P M.—P. King, Sports (KOL).
Harmony Highway (CKWX).
Beep Aces (CJOR)

7:00 P M.—News (CBR, CJOR).
Fred Waring (KOMO)
Greater Washington Hour (KJR)
Amos 'n Andy (KIRO)
Evening Concert (KOL).
Lone Ranger (CKWX).

7:15 P M —Britain Speaks (CBR).
Lum and Abner (KOMO).
Lanny Ross (KIRO).
News (KOL).
Ember Glow (CJOR).

7:30 P M — Dances of the Nation (CBR)
Orchestra (KOMO).
I Love a Mystery (KJR)
Gay Nineties Revue (KIRO).
Lone Ranger (KOL)
Federal Agent (CKWX)
Ranch Frolic (CJOR)

7:45 P M —J Ringham, baritone (CKWX).
News (CJOR)

7:55 P M —News (KIRO).

8:00 P M —Songs of Empire (CBR).
Orchestra (KOMO).
Kay Washington (KJR)
Those We Love (KIRO)
The Amazing Mr Smith (KOL).
Salon Music (CKWX).
They Are Not Alone (CJOR)

8:15 P M —Vox Pop (CJOR)
On Wings the Song (CKWX).

8:30 P M —The Outdoor Philosopher (CBR)
Point Sublime (KOMO).
Concert Hall (KJR)
What's On Your Mind? (KIRO).
Double or Nothing (KOL)
Box Lacrosse (CJOR)

8:45 P M —Sophisticated Strings (CBR)
Orchestra (KOMO, KJR)
A Trip to Hawaii (CKWX)

9:00 P M —E Kelland, organ (CBR).
Hawthorn House (KOMO).
Hot Stove League (KJR)
Hawthorn Songs (KOMO)
Paul Sullivan Reviews the News (KIRO)
News (KOL)
V Mackay and Orchestra (CKWX)

9:15 P M — Victory Loan Broadcast (CBR)
This Thing Called Love (KIRO).
J Teagarden's Orchestra (KOL).
Gypsy Caravan (CKWX)

9:30 P M —K K C Radio Newsreel (CBR)
Totem News Reporter (KJR).
Colony Club (KOMO).
It Pays to Listen (KIRO).
P Lewis (KOL)

9:45 P M —Mixem and Matchem (KJR KOMO)
Dance Time (KOL).
Light Up and Listen Club (CKWX)

9:55 P M —News (KIRO).

10:00 P M —Vagabond's Band (CBR).
News (CKWX, KOMO)
Chamber Music Society of Lower Chamber Basin Street (KJR).
Ray Noble's Orchestra (KIRO).
Orchestra (KOL)

10:15 P M —News (CBR, KIRO).
Blue Moonlight (KOMO).
Starred for Listening (KOL)
Slumber Time (CKWX)

10:30 P M —Music (CBR, KOMO).
H Humber's Orchestra (KJR).
News Review (KOL)
W Ames at the Piano (CKWX)
Light Up and Listen (CJOR)

10:45 P M —Music (KIRO)
J. Bright's Royal Hawaiians (KOL)
At Close of Day (CKWX)
News (CJOR)

11:00 P M —C Foster's Orchestra (KOMO).
Fishing News (KJR)
Marshall and Carter (KIRO).
L Noble's Orchestra (KOL)
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T Powell's Orchestra (CJOR).

11:15 P M —Organ (KJR)

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Concert in Miniature (KIRO).
Symphonic Strings (KOL).
Dance Time (CJOR)

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11 00 a m —Empire Salute
11.30 a m —Musicprize.
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12 15 p m.—Intermezzo
12 30 p.m.—Midday News
12 45 p m —See Books
1 30 p m —Vocal Varieties
1 55 p m.—World Bookmen.
2 00 p m —Concert Hour
3 00 p m —Musical Highlights.
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4 00 p m — Friendly Hour
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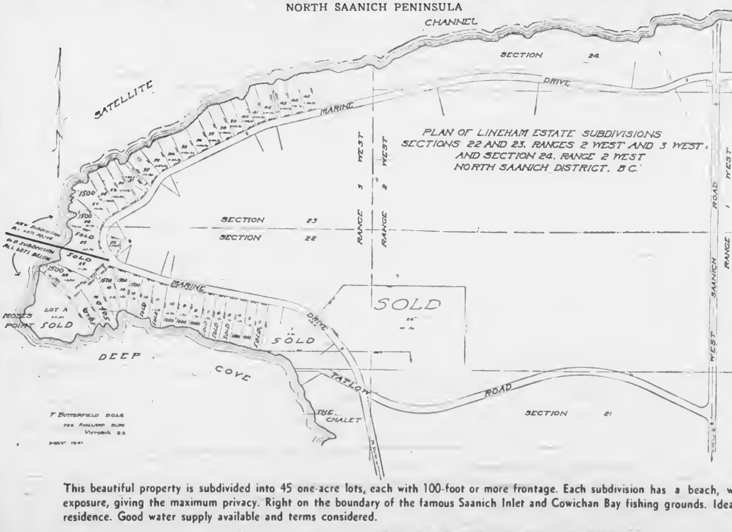

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SUGGESTIONS THAT MAY PROVE USEFUL TO HOME BUILDERS

Everyone Ready to Give Advice to Those Planning A New House—A Few Hints Given Here—Suggestions Must Be Discussed With the Architect and Incorporated Into the Plan

IT is well known that the easiest thing in the world to do is to give advice. This holds especially in the matter of planning and building a home. Merely breathe the rumor that you are contemplating construction of a house and friends and acquaintances will flock with ideas and suggestions, each riding his particular hobby with the best will in the world, but each oblivious of the fact that you are the one who must live in the completed home and that your ideas are the ones to be met.

It is impossible to generalize or to lay down specific rules for the prospective home builder. All that can be done is to offer tentative suggestions which may be adapted to the plan and the programme that the owner has in mind, to be discussed with the architect and contractor. Following are a few ideas which may be well worked out.

MODERN KITCHEN

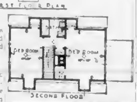
Whether your fancy runs to flat paints, chromium or enamels—to compactness or old-fashioned spaciousness—begin your kitchen with a good basic plan and many of the subsidiary problems will solve themselves.

One of the prime essentials to satisfactory planning is to keep in mind that the kitchen functions are divided into three main categories. These are: 1 receiving and storage, most properly located near the service entrance and including the refrigerator and storage space for all unprepared foodstuffs, 2. cleaning and preparation, including the sink, storage space for cutlery and other preparation essentials (this area should also provide facilities for dishwashing and refuse disposal) and 3 cooking and serving, best located near the dining-room door and including the range, serving counters and storage space for prepared foods. The well-planned kitchen presents these areas in natural sequence and, whenever possible, joined by continuous work surfaces so that retracing of steps, lifting and carrying is reduced to a minimum.

MOST USED UNIT

The sink, of course, is the most used unit of the kitchen and should be selected with care. One should look for plenty of "wet surface," absence of seams which might retain moisture and grease. Supply fixtures should be easy to reach, yet out of the way. A swinging mixing spout and a hose spray are two modern innovations that are becoming increasingly popular. Ample storage room for kitchen supplies beneath the sink conserves space.

Planned for every convenience this storey-and-a-half house is of Cape Cod type, featuring five large rooms, full cellar containing laundry trays and heating plant, plus adequate space for a playroom.



With a kitchen first planned along these lines it is then practicable to go into the subsidiary problems of color combinations, special features offered by various manufacturers of equipment and the choice of location for the various units within the limits of the basic plan.

LAUNDRY AID

Service convenience and comfort are the primary factors in good laundry-room equipment. Most equipment is installed too low, causing housewives many backaches from stooping. A built-in bench at proper height will be found convenient and an effective place to install washers, ironers, etc. Tubs should be at such a height that the housewife does not have to stoop from the shoulders.

SIZING ADVISABLE

Sizing partially seals up the pores of the surface. When this process is omitted an extra coat of paint will be necessary. A satisfactory preparation for sizing plaster or wallboard can be purchased from your local paint dealer or a coat of first-class interior (tung oil) varnish, thinned with turpentine and colored with a little of the wall paint, will serve the purpose.

COLOR SCHEME

With a warm golden brown carpet it is possible to use a blue and gold color scheme for either a cool or a warm exposure. The ceiling is finished in ivory flat paint and the walls are painted a light sky blue.

The woodwork is finished in a pastel shade of blue enamel and the furniture is enameled in grey. Yellow is woven into the scheme with draperies, lamps and the striping of furniture.

CARE IN PLASTERING

One part of any building operation that should not be hurried is the plastering. The first (scratch) coat should have at least twenty-four hours to dry before the second (brown) coat is applied. After the white coat is put on there should be a long period allowed before the wood trim is erected, as the moisture from the plaster is apt to warp the wood.

PIPING ECONOMY

For economy in building all the plumbing in the house should be grouped together if possible. In one-storey houses the kitchen sink should back against the bathroom wall. In two-storey houses the bathroom should be over the kitchen.

A flat piece of metal is remarkably helpful in painting window sash. Hold it tightly against the sash to prevent getting paint on the glass.

GOOD FOUNDATIONS

If concrete or masonry steps are to be installed be sure the ground on which they are to be placed is solid and not recent fill. Filled ground settles over a long period and the steps will settle with it.

LIGHTS FOR CLOSET

Closet doors should be hung so that light, both natural and artificial, shines in the closet when the door is open. At slight extra cost an automatic switch can be installed in the frame which closes the circuit when the door is opened turning on a light in the closet, similar to installations in certain makes of automobiles.

FOR YOUR TELEPHONE

In almost every house there is some place under the stair or off the coat closet or beside a chimney, where a telephone niche can be installed. Below this niche there may be a space with perpendicular divisions for telephone books. Somewhere in a convenient spot in the niche should be a pad and pencil for memoranda.

BUILT-IN HAMPERS

If the size and arrangement of the bathroom makes them possible built-in clothes hampers and linen cabinets are great conveniences, which might be included in the list of things to be considered.

HAVING ROOM IN REAR

While homebuilders steer clear of some phases of modern architecture, the idea of placing the living-room at the rear of the house and the kitchen at the front, is increasing steadily in popularity, according to an architectural authority. This arrangement allows for the development of inexpensive terraces in the rear, giving seclusion from the street. Attractive gardens can be extended towards the rear making a pleasant view from all windows of the house facing the back.

AVOID DAMAGE TO NEW LAWNS

Often we find too late that the legs of our garden chairs do a lot of damage to the lawn, by making unsightly holes, and when these chairs are moved about quite a bit you are apt to get a large number of these disfigurements. When this condition occurs, the only thing to do is to fill the holes with soil and plant a spot more grass seed there. This damage can be avoided if you take a few simple precautions.

In the case of ordinary chairs you can put a slat or a piece of board across the legs, but in the case of folding chairs it is not so easy. But if you fit a small piece of wood about three inches square at the foot of each leg and fasten it there by means of a small hinge it will be very effective. When you want to put your chair away all you have to do is bend the piece of wood back on the hinge and it will fold up in the ordinary manner.

HANDY ASH RECEIVER

Another good gadget for the lawn is an old piece of broomstick with a long spike to the end of it, and on top put an old tin or cheap brass ash tray and nail it on.

So many people sit and smoke and enjoy their garden, as they should, but they seem to have a very bad habit of throwing cigarette butts and burnt matches on the ground. After all you would not throw them on the carpet in your living-room in the house, so why litter up the carpet in your outdoor living-room.

BIRD BATH VERY NICE IN GARDEN

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From time to time when you are making your garden where you have built a house, you will be adding things to it. One thing that you should be sure to have is a bird bath. They are not only attractive, but also give one a lot of pleasure and entertainment watching the antics of the birds whilst bathing.

They are simply made, and many things can be used for the purpose. Perhaps the best thing of all is a shallow pan, which you can cover up with cement, and place on top of an old stump, or if you wish you can make a pedestal of concrete.

All you have to do is to make a form and fill it with fairly fine mixture of cement and sand with a very little fine gravel added to it. Then as soon as it has set firm, take the form away and place in position. If you want to make a fairly big one put the form where you want it to be.

PLANT A CREEPER

As time goes on you can plant a creeper at its base so that it will be covered, or at any rate you can put some flowers there. If you have no room for flowers then you can cover the base up with some of the sempervivums, and the good old-fashioned hen and chickens are ideal for this purpose. They will grow very easily and multiply rapidly.

If you want to color the bird bath with such colors as terracotta or green, you can easily do this by mixing a little kalsomine with the concrete. If, on the other hand, you do not want to use cement, or do not know how, you can improvise a bath very quickly by getting an old earthenware pipe and putting your pan or dish on top of that. If you follow this method you must use an old earthenware or china dish, so that it can be painted over.

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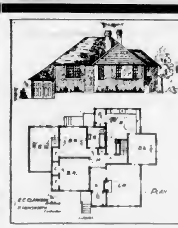

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Home Building Activity Continues

HOUSING ACT IS ENABLING MANY TO OWN THEIR HOMES

Building Activity Continues in Victoria—National Housing Act Contributes Much—B.C. Ranks Third in Number of Homes Constructed Under Plan—Simple Rules Formulated

WHILE current conditions may cause retrenchment in some fields, this is far from the case in the building of residential homes. Nowhere is this more apparent than in Greater Victoria. Every district has its quota of new houses rising and the activity takes the proportions of boom times, save for the fact that the construction and expansion is based on a real need for homes in Victoria.

In this connection much attention is focused on the National Housing Act, the Government legislation which has done and is doing so much to enable the man of average means to build a home of his own and to repay the cost, like rent, over a period of years.

Practically every prospective home builder is familiar with the outlines of the plan, which has proved so popular since its inception. The householder is enabled to secure a loan amounting to 80 per cent of the value of the completed property, the remaining 20 per cent to be put up in the form of cash, a building lot or both. This loan may be paid off over a period of twenty years, interest, financing and retirement of principal amounting to monthly payments that amount to little more than a nominal rent.

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That British Columbians find the N.H.A. adapted to their needs is revealed in the fact that, since the inception of the Government loan plan, the province has ranked third consistently in the number and amount of loans taken out. This irrespective of population. In spite of the war and uncertain conditions, the number of Victorians who are taking advantage of the offer increases steadily. Perhaps it is because of conditions, for the wise investor knows that there is nothing like a home of your own to hold as a sheet anchor against changing values.

Fundamental rules which govern the application and taking out of a loan under the National Housing Act have been formulated and are given as follows.

1. Acquaint yourself with requirements of the act as outlined in official pamphlets, with minimum standards of construction and memorandum specifications. Borrowers must realise their responsibility to see that these requirements are met.

2. Be prepared to provide your equity of 10 to 30 per cent of the lending value, either in the form of a lot, cash, or both.

3. Apply to an approved lending institution to ascertain if they will lend in your community.

4. Choose a suitable site in a district protected from detrimental influences and satisfactory to the lending institution.

5. Choose your architect with care and have your plans and specifications prepared, or use stock plans available through the housing administration.

6. Consult your architect or lending institution official in the selection of the builders whom you will employ to construct your new home.

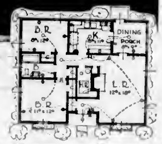
7. Tabulate the entire cost of the project, including (a) land, (b) house, (c) equipment, (d) architect's fees, (e) financing cost.

8. Present these figures to the lending institution and make formal application for a loan. Be prepared to furnish the lending institution with all information as to costs, etc., and also complete information as to your ability to repay the loan.

9. Be prepared to grant the lending institution sufficient time to check everything carefully and arrive at a decision. This will ordinarily take from a week to a month, depending on locality, etc.

10. Do not start construction until your plans and specifications have been approved. Conditional approvals are not given, and construction must not start prior to written approval.

Attractive Small Home



Simple convertibility is the keynote of the plan of this home. It is apparently four rooms, large, but becomes five by enclosing the dining porch. Construction of a basement is optional.

INSULATION IS MOST IMPORTANT

These Simple Rules Must Be Observed if the Work Is to Be Efficient

Maximum insulating efficiency and durability may be obtained in old and new houses if the following general rules be observed.

(1) Manufacturers' specifications and instructions should be rigidly adhered to.

(2) The continuity of the insulation material should be maintained throughout the walls and roof to obviate heat wastage and the danger of condensation stains forming over uninsulated sections.

COLD FIRST FLOORS

(3) Insulating material should be carried through flush with the basement wall, eliminating any possibility of cold first floors. It should also be carried continuously along outside walls at floor junctions and should be carried out flush with door and window frames and the top plate, making certain that no cracks are left at the gable joint.

(4) For most efficient service, the roof of a house requires a greater thickness of insulation than the walls, as the heat leakage per unit area is greater there. The floors of a house without a basement, or of a room over an open porch, should have at least as much insulation as the walls.

REASONABLE THICKNESS

(5) A reasonable thickness of insulation should be used. A saving of fifty per cent on the fuel bills cannot be expected with a minimum thickness of insulation.

(6) For sound-proofing such rooms as bathrooms and playrooms, insulation should be applied in interior partition walls and floors.

HUMIDITY IS SUBJECT OF CLOSE STUDY

Science Reveals Importance Of Proper Control of Atmosphere in Home

Home owners who are interested in "air conditioning" and contemplating the installation of humidifying equipment in conjunction with the heating system, should study carefully the efficacy of any system for the particular task.

Humidity is a subject which is frequently discussed very casually. A study of the simple physics of humidity reveals some interesting facts. As air is warmed, it will hold a steadily increasing amount of water and as it cools the water is released. This is the whole reason for dew on grass and frost on windows.

The first problem of home humidifying is the fact that a cold wall or window will cause the air to release water, with damage to walls and decorations. This is why an efficient heating system is the first vital factor in air conditioning.

GOES UP AND DOWN

Air at 70 degrees will hold 18.8 times as much water as air at zero, and so 100 per cent relative humidity outside is only about 6.3 per cent when the air of a room is warmed to 70 degrees. There is therefore hardly a home in Canada where it would be possible to maintain 40 per cent relative humidity in zero weather; 30 per cent is ample for health and other purposes and higher humidities are neither practicable nor desirable.

To produce even 30 per cent relative humidity, large quantities of water must be evaporated — much more than is possible with ordinary equipment in the average warm air furnace. On a cold day outside with 70 degrees inside from fifteen to twenty gallons are needed in twenty-four hours in a nine-room house. Further this must be a steady process, because of the way in which plaster woodwork curtains and books absorb moisture.

MUCH WATER INVOLVED

In an average nine-room house if humidity were changed fifteen points relative and kept that way added or given out from the contents of the house, about a barrel of water. The change would make a telephone directory gain over an ounce in weight or a pair of boots gain the contents of half a test tube of water.

To obtain effective humidity it is therefore necessary to have adequate machinery for evaporating plenty of water and to operate with sufficient regularity to hold the water contents of the house at a steady point. This must be combined with efficient, uniform heating. These conditions can be fulfilled only with properly engineered apparatus, divorced from heating yet which will go on and off as heat is required.

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Atlas—"Tobacco Road," starring Charles Grapewin.

Cadet—Clark Gable and Hedy Lamarr in "Comrade X."

Capitol—"Men of Boys Town," starring Spencer Tracy and Mickey Rooney.

Dominion—Frank Morgan in "Washington Melodrama."

Oak Bay—"I See Ice," starring George Formby.

Plaza—"Sis Hopkins," starring Judy Canova

Rio—Arthur Askey in "Charley's Aunt."

York—"The Four Just Men," featuring Frank Lawton and Anna Lee

'TOBACCO ROAD' ATLAS FEATURE

Charles Grapewin as Jeeter Lester Plays Leading Role in Real Life Drama

It may be quite some time before Charley Grapewin plays another screen role. He will go into virtual retirement because he has gotten the biggest role he ever hoped to land in pictures

As Jeeter Lester in "Tobacco Road," produced by Darryl F. Zanuck for Twentieth Century-Fox, which opens on Monday at the Atlas Theatre, Grapewin knows that he has reached the climax in his long movie career.

"I am not even going to consider another picture role until after 'Tobacco Road' is released," Grapewin said. "And whatever scripts are handed me they will have to be read and passed on by John Ford before I'll consider them."

Whatever he has achieved, Grapewin credits to the Academy Award director who guided him in his Jeeter Lester role. Grapewin considers Ford to have the finest judgment in Hollywood and has drafted him to be his mentor and counselor in the future

Grapewin shares featured billing with Marjorie Rambeau, Gene Tierney and William Tracy in the sensational picture "Tobacco Road."

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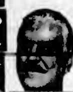

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"Men of Boys Town" Is Capitol Film Attraction

Scenarist James K. McGuinness did not have to draw on his imagination when he wrote the screen play of "Men of Boys Town," which is now showing at the Capitol Theatre. The wide variety of activities participated in by boys at Father Edward J. Flanagan's famous Boys Town, and shown in the picture, are factual.

Father Flanagan's Home, near Omaha, Nebraska, is actually a city of little men, with boys running it. A mayor and city officials are elected each year. The boys have their own police force, a district attorney and a public defender, and punish offenders in their own way.

The boys do their own tailoring, shoe repairing, barbering, carpenter work, help prepare meals, learn manual training, run the switchboards, care for livestock, do practical farming, have a 4-H club, print a newspaper and magazines, have a band and their own postoffice. The boys are encouraged by Father Flanagan to do the work that interests them most and will best prepare them to be good, self-supporting citizens.

While the majority of boys went to Boys Town either homeless, unwanted or abandoned, there are no fences or guards at Father Flanagan's Home, and boys are welcomed irrespective of race or creed. Almost every state in the Union is represented.

DUKE OF KENT ODDLY SALUTED

Canadian Forestry Company Detonates Tomato Cans in Honor Of Royal Visitor

SOMEWHERE IN SCOTLAND, May 31 (CP)—Canadian army units have put on some ingenious shows for royal visitors, but the forestry company commanded by Maj. J. C. (Jim) McCuaig of Ottawa topped them all with a tin-can royal salute, probably the strangest ever to resound through the highlands.

The Duke of Kent was paying the first royal visit to the Canadian Forestry Corps in Scotland, and Maj. McCuaig, a Gatineau Valley lumber contractor, thought it called for something really unusual.

As the Duke, in Air Force uniform, drove his own car into the lumber camp, reports of the royal salute boomed out, as regularly as if fired by a crack artillery regiment.

"Why, this surprises me a lot," smiled the Duke. "I didn't know you had guns right here."

"Those shots weren't from any field gun, your Royal Highness," laughed Maj. McCuaig. "That salute was fired from tomato cans, loaded with dynamite and sand and fitted with short fuses."

The Duke spent most of the day looking over the mills and camps of three of the companies, commanded by Maj. McCaulg, Maj. N. C. Ferguson of Ottawa, and Maj. C. W. Mobley of Salmon Arm, B.C.

SAANICH BOARD OF TRADE

The Saanich Board of Trade will hold its meeting tomorrow evening at the Brentwood Women's Institute Hall, Brentwood Bay, at 8 o'clock. This will be the last meeting until September, when regular meetings will be resumed

COMEDY HIT IS BOOKED AT RIO

"Charley's Aunt" Stars Arthur Askey, Richard Murdoch and Graham Moffatt in Farce

Arthur Askey's second starring picture, "Charley's (Big-Hearted) Aunt," which will be shown at the Rio Theatre commencing Monday provides the famous little radio and screen comedian with one of the greatest and most successful comedy roles ever written for the theatre or screen.

Askey, Richard Murdoch and Graham Moffatt are seen as Oxford undergraduates who are always in the water when it is hottest—the only exception to this statement being when Arthur collapses a punt into the icy-cold Thames.

The film is a non-stop epic of undergraduate life and brings in sequences of unashamed slapstick, daring dialogue and, with Askey as "Auntie," embarrassing situations.

As one critic remarked: "Arthur's sureness of touch piles laugh upon laugh until the audience is left literally gasping."

HILARIOUS FILM COMES TO CADET

Hedy Lamarr and Clark Gable, Screen Favorites, Are Starred In Comedy, "Comrade X"

When Hedy Lamarr throws a telephone at Clark Gable, tries to part his hair with a chair, and musses him up in general, it is quite a sight, but only one of the many rollicking comedy highlights of "Comrade X," their new co-starring picture, which opens on Monday at the Cadet Theatre

Gone is Miss Lamarr, the glamorous siren of the past, and in her place is a slam-bang comedienne, a Moscow lady street car "motorman." Gable is a newspaperman in Russia, who leads an enjoyable dare-devil life until he meets Hedy. Then things begin to happen to both of them.

Weight of newborn babies varies with the seasons. Those born in January or February invariably are lighter than those born during the Summer months.

British Parliament Seen In York Theatre Feature

Production Manager Harry Hand was confronted with a serious problem during the shooting of "The Four Just Men," opening Monday at the York Theatre.

The story concerns four patriots who secretly work to right the wrongs of the world. When the future of their country is threatened, they investigate the conspiracy which is planning to undermine the Government. In order to solve their problems it is necessary to enter the Houses of Parliament. And it was up to Mr. Hand to produce an exact duplicate of the House of Commons. The first thing necessary was to procure the permission of the British Government to show the interior of this important building.

After many conferences with the Government officials, it was decided that a rule of many centuries standing would be broken. Because the film, in its unfolding is so well done and of such outstanding benefit to the world of today, the entire company was allowed to enter the sacred portals of Parliament.

So, when you see the world-shocking debate in Parliament as portrayed in Monogram's "The Four Just Men," you will be taking an actual trip to one of the most important historical spots of the world.

Michael Balcon produced "The Four Just Men," which was directed by Walter Forde. The cast of outstanding players is headed by Frank Lawton, Griffith Jones, Anna Lee, Hugh Sinclair and Francis L. Sullivan. The film is based on Edgar Wallace's noted novel, "The Four Just Men."

Germany's birth rate in 1940 exceeded all previous years.

Victoria Little Theatre and Dramatic School

JUNE 12 - 13 - 14

THE FAMOUS COMEDY

"Mr. Pim Passes By"

By A. A. MILNE

Tickets at the Marionette Library, 75c — Curtain at 8.15 P.M.

Detective Mystery With New Players at Dominion

Thrills and suspense, romance, comedy and a group of younger players on the threshold of stardom appearing in their most important roles to date mark "Washington Melodrama," tense detective mystery laid amid today's world events in America's capital, ending tomorrow at the Dominion.

The story deals with a millionaire philanthropist campaigning to feed starving Europe who though an indiscretion becomes enmeshed in a blackmail plot which ends in the murder of a beautiful girl. A lost glove, found by a reporter on a sensational newspaper, furnishes a clew. His socialite daughter, aided by her fiance, a newspaperman, turns amateur detective to pin the crime on the real culprit and clear her father.

Ann Rutherford, who plays Mickey Rooney's sweetheart in the Hardy pictures, discloses herself as a superb actress in the romantic lead, and Frank Morgan gives an impressive dramatic performance as the father.

As an added feature, the fight pictures of Joe Louis vs. Buddy Baer are being shown.

Judy Canova Is Star of Entertainment at Plaza

When Republic's "Scatterbrain" was first released to a film public annoyed by so called "smart, sophisticated comedy," the response was a deluge of spontaneous letters which poured into the studio from every state in the union expressing surprise and delight over a brand new and refreshing type of comedy.

Republic has followed up this bell-ringing formula with "Sis Hopkins," which is adapted from the stage play of the same name written by Carroll Fleming and George A. Nichols.

The picture opens Monday at the Plaza Theatre, starring Judy Canova.

Judy's humor needs no promoting from these quarters; it speaks for itself—spontaneous, gay and utterly infectious. Just by being herself, she arouses every emotion in her audience, including not only laughter, but sympathy, compassion, indignation and a strong sense of justice.

Although Judy is the highlight of the show, her comedy is ably supplemented by that of such popular comics as Charlie Butterworth, Jerry Colonna and Elvia Allman, the "Cobina" of the Brenda and Cobina radio team

OAK BAY BOOKS ENGLISH COMEDY

George Formby, Lancashire Funster, Scores Another Success in Film "I See Ice"

George Formby cannot go wrong as far as Formby fans are concerned, but "I See Ice," his latest picture opening Monday at the Oak Bay Theatre, has a lot more than Formby's grin, his singing, banjolele strumming and his ability to look "gormless" and get into trouble

Not that this is not sufficient to make the laughs come louder and more often than in the usual British comedy, but merely to remark that the chosen background of this picture is perhaps the best to date for the Lancashire favorite.

With this introduction we recommend to you the comic vicissitudes of George in the story of an inventive photographer with a camera concealed in his bow tie, who reaches London in mistake for Birmingham, and blunders to success by taking pictures which have to be destroyed and others which have to be published.

SLIGHTLY IMPROVED

LONDON, May 31 (CP)—Sir Hugh Walpole, the novelist, was reported "slightly improved" today after suffering a severe heart attack at his home.

OAK BAY — PHONE E-2043

GEORGE FORMBY in

"I SEE ICE"

And PHILIP DORN — REMEMBER HIM IN "ESCAPE"?
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Cheaper priced seats will be on sale the day of the concert only. All Seats Reserved

'THAT HAMILTON WOMAN' TO APPEAR AT CAPITOL

Sara Allgood, rated as one of the greatest living actresses, recently made her American motion picture debut in Alexander Korda's "That Hamilton Woman!" which co-stars Vivien Leigh and Laurence Olivier and starts a run at the Capitol Theatre on Wednesday through United Artists release

Miss Allgood has an international reputation as a stage actress with a long career of successful plays to adorn it. Her most notable stage hits include "The Plow and the Stars," "The White Headed Boy," "The Playboy of the Western World" and "Juno and the Paycock." In English films, she was seen in "Storm in a Teacup," with Vivien Leigh, the star of "That Hamilton Woman!" She appears as Vivien's mother in this new production.

FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

Business Falls To Low Ebb on New York Mart

NEW YORK, May 31 (AP)—You could have put today's stock market in your right eye without bringing on even a slight case of astigmatism.

Transfers for the two hours of 107,000 shares were the smallest since last August 24, and compared with 160,260 a week ago. The Associated Press average of sixty stocks was off .1 of a point at 39.6, and on the week was down .2. For the month the composite was up .4.

It was one of the narrowest markets, in the matter of the number of stocks traded, in two decades or more. Of about 1,260 listed issues, only 345 changed hands, actually a low mark since August 25, when 303 were dealt in. In today's total, 127 were off, 83 up and 125 unchanged.

Consolidated Aircraft touched a new top for 1941. On the up side also were Douglas Aircraft, Boeing, United Aircraft, Lockheed, Sears Roebuck, American Telephone, N.Y. Shipbuilding, J. I. Case and Anaconda.

DOW JONES AVERAGES

Dow Jones averages closed as follows:

Thirty industrials, 115.76, off .47.
Twenty rails, 27.43, off .14.
Fifteen utilities, 19.90, off .95.
Total sales, 110,000.

	Close
American Can	78
American Tobacco	64
American Smelter	40
American Tel. & Tel.	151¾
Anaconda Copper	30
B. & O. Railway	2⅝
Baldwin Locomotive	13⅝
Bendix Aviation	34
Beth Steel	69
C P R	3⅛
Cerro de Pasco	30
Chrysler	56½
Cons Edison	17
Curtiss Wright	9½
Dupont	143½
Eastman	122½
General Foods	30
Gen Electric	28
General Motors	38⅝
Hawe Sound	28
Int Nickel	24
Inter T & T	2
Kennecott Copper	33
Montgomery Ward	33
Nash Kelvinator	4
New York Central	13½
Packard	3⅛
Penn Railway	24½
Pullman	27
Radio	3
Safeway Stores	30½
Standard Oil N J	30½
Studebaker	4
Texas Corp.	39
Texas Gulf	34
Union Carbide	68
Union Oil Cal	[illegible]
Union Pacific	78
United Airlines	20⅝
U.S. Rubber	21
Westinghouse Electric	88
Western Union	23¼
Woolworth	27
Yellow	13

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, May 31 (AP)—Quotations in cents.

Official Canadian Control Board rates for United States dollars: Buying, 10 per cent premium; selling, 11 per cent premium; equivalent to discounts on Canadian dollars in New York of buying 9.91 per cent.

Canadian dollar in New York open market, 15½ per cent discount or 87.75 United States cents.

[illegible]
Finland—2.00.
Hungary—19.77.
Italy—5.00.
Portugal 4.07.
Sweden—23.86.
*Switzerland—23.31½.
Yugoslavia—2.25.
Argentina—Official 29.77, free 23.50.
Brazil—Official 6.05, free 5.00.
Mexico—20.70.
Japan—23.40.
Hongkong—24.46.
Shanghai—5.50.
* For commercial transactions.

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, May 31 (AP)—Quotations in dollars. Official (Bankers' Foreign Exchange Committee rates), buying 4.02, selling 4.04, open market cables 4.04.

(Rates in spot cables, unless otherwise indicated.)

Grain Markets

WINNIPEG GRAIN

Wheat	P.C.	Open	High	Low	Close
May	75⅞	75⅞	75⅞	75⅞	75⅞
July	77	77	77	77	77
Barley					
May	50½	51	51⅞	51⅞	51
July	40	40½	40⅞	40½	40
Oct	44⅞	44	40⅞	44	44½
Oats					
[illegible]					

Cash Grain

[illegible]

CHICAGO GRAIN

[illegible]

Corporation Bonds

	Bid	Asked
Abitibi	[illegible]	[illegible]
B.C. Pulp	[illegible]	[illegible]
Brown Co.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Calgary Power	[illegible]	[illegible]
Canada Cement	[illegible]	[illegible]
Canada Steamship	[illegible]	[illegible]
C.P.R.	[illegible]	[illegible]
C.P.R.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Famous Players	[illegible]	[illegible]
Gatineau Power	[illegible]	[illegible]
Maple Leaf	[illegible]	[illegible]
Massey Harris	[illegible]	[illegible]
McColl Frontenac	[illegible]	[illegible]
Shawinigan	[illegible]	[illegible]
Simpsons Ltd.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ltd. Grain Growers	[illegible]	[illegible]

Montreal Stocks

MONTREAL QUOTATIONS

(James Richardson & Sons)

	Bid	Asked
Algoma Steel, com	8	8½
Algoma Steel, pfd		69
Associated Breweries, com	16	16
Associated Breweries, pfd	110½	
Bathurst Paper	10	11
Building Products	10	
[illegible]		
Commercial Alcohols	1.08	1.09
Consolidated Paper	3	3
Cub Aircraft	60	75
Donnacona A	3	3½
Fairchild	130	200
Fleet Aircraft	3½	3
Ford A	14⅞	15
Fraser Company	9	7
Massey-Harris, pfd.	33	
McColl Frontenac, pfd	60	
Page Hersey		103
Hiram Walker	37½	38
Hiram Walker, pfd	19	20
Banks		
Bank of Commerce	149	140
Bank of Montreal	174	177
Banque Canadienne Nationale	104	142

	Bid	Asked
Holland Paper	8	
St. Lawrence Corpn., pfd	14	16
St. Lawrence Paper, pfd	11	22
Sherwin-Williams	9½	
Steel of Canada		65
Steel of Canada, pfd	68	70
Canadian Investment Fund		3.77
Curb		
Abitibi		80
Abitibi, pfd		6
Asbestos	19	17

BAR GOLD

MONTREAL, May 31 (CP) — Bar gold in London was unchanged at $37.54 an ounce in Canadian funds, 168s in British funds, representing the Bank of England's buying price. The fixed $35 Washington price amounted to $39.50 in Canadian funds.

Toronto Stocks

MINING SECTION

	Bid	Asked
Base Metals	[illegible]	08
Beattie	1.00	1.03
Bralorne	9.90	10.00
Buffalo Ankerite	[illegible]	3.30
Canadian Malartic	[illegible]	
Central Patricia	1.66	1.70
Chesterville	1.27	1.28
Dome	21.00	21.74
Eldorado	[illegible]	[illegible]
East Malartic	2.22	2.24
Eldorado		25
[illegible]		

Stocks and Bonds

	Bid	Asked
Bell Telephone	144½	
[illegible]		
Imperial Oil	8	8½
Imperial Tobacco	12½	12
Int. Metal Indust. 6%, pfd	60	103
Int. Metal Indust. 'A'	7	8
Int. Nickel	29½	30
Int. Petroleum		14⅞
Montreal L.H. & Power	20	21½
Moore Corp.	44½	45
Nat. Steel Car	34	38
Shawinigan W. & P.	12	12¼
Steel of Canada	63¾	68½
Hiram Walker G. & W.	38	30
Bank of Montreal	173	177
Royal Bank	153	
Can. Bank of Commerce	144	148

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

OTTAWA, May 31 (CP) — Official Foreign Exchange Control Board rates unchanged at: United States dollars, buying 10 per cent premium, selling 11 per cent premium. Equivalent discounts on Canadian dollars in New York, buying 9.91 per cent, selling 9.09 per cent. Sterling in Canadian funds: Buying $4.43, selling $4.47.

BANK CLEARINGS

Victoria bank clearings for the month of May totaled $8,117,087; for the corresponding month last year $8,069,161.

Prices Unchanged in Dull Day's Session in Vancouver Market

VANCOUVER, May 31 — Trading continued to follow a narrow path on Vancouver Stock Exchange on Saturday. Prices were generally unchanged as transfers totaled 7,222 shares.

In the oils Home at 1.66 gained 4 from Friday's closing bid, while Vanalta at 4 and Highwood Sarcee at 7 remained unchanged.

Cariboo Gold Quartz at 2.30 and Premier Border at 1 3-4 showed no alteration. Other golds and base metals were inactive.

VANCOUVER QUOTATIONS

Oils

	Bid	Asked
Amalgamated	.00½	.00
Anaconda	.04	
A P Con	.06	
British Dominion	.05	
Brown Oil		.05½
C & E Corp	1.08	
Calmont	.12	
Commonwealth	.17	
Commoil Oil	.17	.23
Dalhousie Oil	.21	
East Crest	.05	
Firestone		.04
Highwood Sarcee	.07	
Home Oil	1.66	1.64
Madison		.01
McDougall Segur	.04	
Mill City	.04	
Model Oil	.13	.18
Monarch	.03	.03½
Pacific Pete		.30
Royal Canadian	.07	
Royalite	.18	
Sunset	.00	
United Oil	.12	
Vanalta	.00	.04
Vulcan		.35

Mines

	Bid	Asked
Big Missouri	.04	
Bralorne	8.70	9.05
Cariboo Gold	2.30	2.30
Golconda	.04	.06
Gold Belt	.21	
Grandview	.11½	.12
Hedley Mascot	.21	.23
Inter Coal & Coke	.14	
Island Mountain	.60	
Kootenay Belle	.21	.28
Minto	.01¼	.01½
Pacific Nickel	.04	
Pend Oreille	1.25	
Pioneer Gold	2.00	2.20
Premier Border		.02
Premier Gold	.60	
Privateer	.48	.50
Quatsino Copper		.02
Reeves McDonald	.10	
Relief Arlington	.01	.02
Reno Gold	.11	
Sheep Creek	.75	
Silbak Premier		.60
Whitewater	.00	.00
Ymir Yankee Girl	.05	

Miscellaneous

	Bid	Asked
Coast Breweries	1.25	1.33
Capital Estates		1.18

EGG MARKET

These prices are obtained daily from the office of the Dominion Government Poultry Produce Inspection Service, Victoria, G 2492.

To producer.

Grade "A" large	.21
Grade "A" medium	.20
Grade "A" pullet	.18

Following are city wholesale:

Grade "A" large	.25
Grade "A" medium	.24
Grade "A" pullet	.22

Provincial Bonds

	Bid	Asked
Alberta 4½, 1953	83.00	85.00
Alberta [illegible], 1958	55.50	40.50
British Columbia 4½, 1957	85.50	48.50
British Columbia 4½, 1953	90.50	103.50
British Columbia 3½, 1953	103.50	105.50
Manitoba 4½, 1960		96.50
Manitoba 5, 1950	94.50	97.00
New Brunswick 4½, 1961	90.00	98.00
Nova Scotia 4½, 1952	103.50	106.50
Ontario 4½, 1950	104.50	106.30
Quebec 4½, 1950	98.50	101.50
Saskatchewan 4½, 1951	51.00	
Saskatchewan 5, 1953	70.50	80.50
Saskatchewan 5, 1952	67.50	

Foreign Bonds

	Bid	Asked
Australia 4½, 1956	81.50	82.75
Bolivia 7, 1958	2.00	4.50
Chile 6, 1961	9.50	10.75
Colombia 6, 1961	25.25	30.50
German 4½, 1965	8.25	10.50
Italy 7, 1951	20.00	27.50
Japan 6, 1954	61.50	63.30
Peru 6, 1961	6.50	7.75
Sydney 3, 1955	64.00	74.50
United Kingdom 4, 1990	27.50	33.50

(Above Prices in New York)

DIVIDENDS DECLARED

McColl-Frontenac Oil Company, Limited, preferred $1.50, payable July 15 to shareholders of record June 30.

G. Tamblyn, Limited common 20 cents, preferred 1 1-4 per cent, both payable July 2 to shareholders of record June 13.

Canada Bread Company, Limited, first preferred $1.25, "B" preferred 62 1-2 cents, both payable July 2 to shareholders of record June 14.

Premier Gold Mining Co., Ltd., has declared a dividend of 3 cents per share payable July 15 to shareholders of record June 12.

METAL MARKETS

MONTREAL, May 31 (CP)—Spot: Copper, electrolytic, 12.75; tin, 60.75; lead, 5.50; zinc, 6.65; antimony, 12.25; per 100 pounds, f.o.b. Montreal, five-ton lots.

Evacuate Women From Gibraltar

LA LINEA, Spain, May 31 (AP)—A second evacuation ship left Gibraltar today with more than 1,000 persons, mostly women, as authorities continued to prepare the fortress to meet any possible German attack.

EXAMINERS ARE NAMED FOR B.C.

Dr. J. Frederick Stanton and Lloyd Powell Chosen by Royal Schools Of Music Board

Dr. J. Frederick Stanton and Lloyd Powell, two of the four examiners appointed to conduct examinations of the Associated Board of the Royal Schools of Music in Canada, in 1941, will officiate in British Columbia, it has been announced.

Dr. Stanton will conduct examinations in Victoria and the southern section of the Island, on and after June 17. The central examination room will be in the Empress Hotel.

An outstanding lecturer in music, and a festival adjudicator, Dr. Stanton is already well known here and in Vancouver. He adjudicated in the Victoria Musical Festival in 1933 and 1937, and again at the festival in Vancouver last month.

Lloyd Powell, who will conduct the examinations for the board on the Mainland, has been a professor of the Royal Academy of Music in London since 1919, and has studied under several world-famous musicians in European conservatories. He has taken part in many concert tours in the leading countries of Europe, and was in Victoria in 1938, when he conducted the board examinations in Victoria and the South of the Island. He arrived recently from England, again returning to Canada for this purpose.

WARNS MOTORISTS AGAINST DRINKING

Chief J. A. McLellan issues a grave warning to motorists who are running the risk of combining alcohol drinking with automobile driving.

"Everyone condemns the drunken driver," said the chief, "but everyone does not realize the danger of the drinking driver, who can be an even greater menace on the road. The drunken driver is soon discovered and removed from the highway, but the drinking driver continues on his way until the tragedy occurs, which it surely does sooner or later.

"One thing has been definitely established about alcohol," continued the chief. "Alcohol drinking lengthens the driver's reaction time and thus renders him more likely to have an accident. Experiments show that the alcohol in a couple of glasses of beer, or in a cocktail or two is sufficient to double a person's reaction time. This means that it takes him twice as long to react in an emergency. The average non-drinking driver, driving at thirty miles an hour, travels about thirty-three feet during his reaction time, but the drinking driver travels twice that distance; also his eye reaction is slowed down, and he is unable to distinguish colors as well.

"Don't drive if you drink, and if you drink, don't drive. I think that if friends and relatives would refuse to drive with a motorist who has been drinking, it would go a long way towards remedying this evil," concluded the chief.

CHAPEL IN BAKERY

LONDON (CP)—Bomb-proof away below street level the bakehouse at Gatti's restaurant, now a Y.M.C.A. centre, is used for Sunday services with a cross in front of the huge ovens.

Are Romantically Teamed

In above scene are Vivien Leigh and Laurence Olivier, as they appear in the new United Artists picture based on the romance between Lord Nelson and Lady Hamilton. The title of this new film masterpiece is "That Hamilton Woman!" It comes to the Capitol Theatre on Wednesday of this week.

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43 POULTRY AND LIVESTOCK (Continued)

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BOSTON BULL PUPS. APPLY D. WILson, Prospect Lake.

FOR SALE—BLACK AND TAN TERRIER, male, six months old. Good watchdog. 3002 Shelbourne Street

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PUREBRED SEALYHAM, 10 MONTHS old, male, fully trained, ideal children's pet. Drury, Cobble Hill.

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93D CATS

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47 ROOM AND BOARD

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BRIGHT ROOM, GOOD BOARD, private home, close in. G 2156

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65A FOR SALE

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IMMEDIATE POSSESSION — Well-built home with three bedrooms, Sandy basement, furnace and garage. Situated just outside city limits. Absent owner offers reasonable terms ... $2250
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TO INVESTORS
RENTAL HOUSES ARE SCARCE. HERE is a chance to buy a house to produce speedy revenue. Five-room bungalow in city, between Gorge Road and Burnside. Two bedrooms, open fireplace in sitting-room, full cement basement, furnace; corner lot 60 x 110, in garden, new Duroid roof. $2,250 or reasonable offer. Owner, Box 801, Colonist.

SEAFRONT—Almost new five-room bungalow. Oak floors throughout. Mahogany doors. All-tile four-piece bathroom. Tile kitchen, comparable to any millionaire's culinary department. Basement with bedroom and toilet room. Hot-water heating. Lawns and gardens unexcelled on this island. Rock gardens, rustic work, arbors, hedges sloping down to water's edge. This is a home for those with a profound love of the sea and the beautiful. No view could be better, no home more compact or perfect in build. It's a little bit of heaven as life we. Can be seen by appointment only. Price ... $6000

ESQUIMALT — Craigflower. Real four-room bungalow. Full basement. Garage. $300 handles. Price ... $1850

POULTRY FARM — Excellent four-room bungalow. Modern kitchen and bathroom, full cement basement. Five acres of good soil, outbuildings. Immediate possession. $500 handles. Price ... $2300

SEAFRONT—Brand new six-room stucco bungalow. Living-room (18x16), open fireplace, dining-room, spacious entrance hall, oak floors. Two bedrooms, four-piece ultra modern bathroom (pedestal washstand). Kitchen, tile sink, breakfast room, washroom and washtubs. Cement basement, furnace, garage. All copper pipe plumbing. Lot 300 x 60. Lofty trees on north side. Southern aspect of sea and mountains. A beauty spot that virtually monopolizes all the wild, rugged beauty this island has to offer. Good safe anchorage for any size boat. Ten minutes' drive from centre of town. It would cost $1,600 more than the price asked to build this home today. Price (on terms) ... $4250

HOLLYWOOD CRESCENT—Unobstructed view of sea and mountains. Six-room semi-bungalow. Large living-room, open fireplace, dining-room, three bedrooms, three-piece bathroom. Full cement basement, furnace. Garage. Price (on terms) ... $3000

FAIRFIELD — Close to sea. Five-room bungalow. Living-room, dining-room, two bedrooms, three-piece bathroom. Kitchen. Full cement basement, furnace. Garage. A beautiful well-kept home. Price ... $2000

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SIX ROOMS, THREE DOWN WITH BATH and three up. Well within mile circle. In fair condition. A real opportunity for a good home cheap. Price, terms ... $800

WITHIN THREE BLOCKS OF THE Crystal Garden, in a good district, six rooms with full plumbing, basement, furnace; two extra rooms can be made with slight alterations if desired. Excellent for housekeeping rooms. Price ... $1500
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78 — HOUSES FOR SALE (Continued)

GORGE DISTRICT

THIS COSY FOUR-ROOM BUNGALOW, living-room, kitchen and two bedrooms. Taxes $16. (Two lots, 104 x 320.) Large and small fruits. Clear title. Close to Portage Inlet. Immediate possession. Only $1500

YATES STREET PROPERTY (Close In)

TO CLOSE AN ESTATE—SEVEN-ROOM house with basement. Lot 60 x 136. Title clear. Reasonable terms.

JUST OFF OAK BAY AVENUE
We Advise You to Look This One Over

ONLY $2975 ONLY

THIS SIX-ROOM BUNGALOW IN EXcellent condition. Open fireplace ... furnace ... small fruits. Terms to arrange. Title clear.

LAKE HILL DISTRICT

IMMEDIATE POSSESSION—OWNER ACcepted a position in Vancouver. This attractive and well-planned six-room bungalow, consisting of living-room, dining-room, kitchen and three bedrooms, open fireplace, furnace, cement basement. Fruit trees. Taxes $32. Lot 75 x 130. Title clear. Terms to arrange.

FERNWOOD DISTRICT SPECIAL
REDUCED TO

$1975

WHY PAY RENT WHEN YOU CAN PURchase this well-planned five-room bungalow, consisting of living-room, dining-room, kitchen and two bedrooms, two open fireplaces, three-piece bathroom, furnace, basement cemented, garage in basement. Reasonable taxes. Average lot. Title clear. New roof. Further details given at office. Inspection by appointment only. Exclusive agents.

FOUL BAY—CLOSE TO THE SEA

ONLY $3000 ONLY

WHY PAY RENT WHEN YOU CAN OWN an attractive seven-room residence, consisting of living-room, dining-room, kitchen and four bedrooms, three-piece bathroom, open fireplace. Basement cemented, furnace, garage. Inspection by appointment. Terms $1,000 cash, balance to arrange on reasonable terms. Title clear.

SMALL COUNTRY HOME (LUXTON)
IMMEDIATE POSSESSION

Clear Title.
Only $1500

2¼ ACRES, SEMI-CLEARED, BALANCE in small timber, four-room bungalow, open fireplace, chicken house (20 x 50), which would cost you $650 to build today. Yearly taxes $18. City water. Reasonable terms.

OPLANDS SPECIAL

Reduced From
$10,000 to $8500

WELL-PLANNED EIGHT-ROOM RESIdence, hot water heating. One-third of an acre. Clear title. Early possession. Reasonable terms.

CLOSE TO OAK BAY JUNCTION

EXCELLENT PRIVATE BOARDINGhouse. Reception room, dining-room, (den or bedroom), bedroom, kitchen on the ground floor, upstairs, four bedrooms. Hardwood floors, hot water heating, three-piece bathroom; high cemented basement, double garage. Large lot, several fruit trees. Further details at office.

ESQUIMALT MUNICIPALITY

CHOICE LOT ON LAMPSON STREET. No rock, 45 x 160. Choice residential location.
Cash $250

NORTH QUADRA SPECIAL
Reduced From $6,500 to

$5250

Reasonable Terms

THIS WELL-PLANNED AND CONstructed eight-room residence, two complete bathrooms, hardwood floors, built-in features, high cemented basement, large furnace, wash trays, 100-ft. frontage. Early possession. Title clear. High elevation.

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Building (72 x 60) — All Stores Rented
Excellent Location
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Any of the Following Homes

6-ROOMED BUNGALOW, near Hillside. Full price $1250

5-ROOMED STUCCO BUNGALOW, with sunroom. Near Oak Bay Junction. Price $2800

5-ROOMED HOUSE, with three lots, near High School. Price $1250

4-ROOMED SAANICH BUNGALOW, with basement and furnace. Near Tolmie School. Price $1900

ESQUIMALT 5-ROOMED BUNGALOW, with basement. Price $1750

7-ROOMED SAANICH HOME, with an acre. Close in. Price $2800

TWO HOUSES, each of 6 rooms, near Victoria Machinery Depot. Price (a pair) $2000

FOUL BAY, 7 ROOMS, garage in basement. Price $2375

HILLSIDE, 6 ROOMS, cement basement. Price $1700

3 GOOD SAANICH LOTS, with fruit trees. Near car line. Full price $500

6-ROOMED BUNGALOW, with hardwood floors, near Royal Jubilee Hospital. Price $2500

NEAR T.M.O.—2 BUNGALOWS, each of 4 rooms. The two for only $2000

FAIRFIELD, 5-ROOMED BUNGALOW, with basement and furnace. Price $2400

9 ACRES, WITH 3-ROOMED COTTAGE, 10 miles out. Full price $800

GOOD WATERFRONT LOT at Bazan Bay. Full price $500

BURNSIDE, 5-ROOMED SEMI-BUNGALOW. Price $1200

GLEN LAKE WATERFRONT, 4 acres. Price $850

VICTORIA WEST, 7 ROOMS. Price $1300

PEMBROKE STREET, 6 ROOMS, furnace $1900

HIGH FAIRFIELD, 6 ROOMS. Price $1900

6-ACRE POULTRY FARM. Price $2250

NEAR OAK BAY, 5-ROOMED BUNGALOW, new furnace $2100

GLEN LAKE, 5-ROOMED COTTAGE. Nearly 3 acres. Price $1000

WILKINSON ROAD, 6-ROOMED STUCCO BUNGALOW, basement, garage. Price $2100

HILLSIDE, 5-ROOMED BUNGALOW. Price $1850

HILLSIDE, 4 ROOMS $1000

JAMES BAY, 5-ROOMED COTTAGE $2100

4-ROOMED STUCCO BUNGALOW at city limits. Price $2250

BLANSHARD STREET, NEAR HILLSIDE, 7 ROOMS. Price $1050

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ESQUIMALT

WELL-CONSTRUCTED 6-ROOM BUNgalow. Ocean view, fruit trees, garden, basement, hot-air furnace. On terms $2250

FOUR-ROOM BUNGALOW, POLISHED floors, garden, fruit trees. Low taxes. Very large lot. Terms $2000

EMPIRE REALTY CO., LTD.
1000 Broad Street

$1750—FIVE-ROOM MODERN BUNgalow, very nice order, cement basement, furnace, garage, mile circle. This is real good buying. Chisholm, 1214 Douglas.

78 HOUSES FOR SALE (Continued)

8-ROOMED ATTRACTIVE HOME, FAIRfield, close to car, upstair suite, 3 rooms, rented at $30; owner has 5 rooms below. These can be rented as two suites. Large basement, furnace and garage. Lawns, fruits and flowers. $1,500 cash. Balance as rent. Apply owner. Clear title. E 8315 or E 4760.

$4500—NEW 6-ROOM STUCCO BUNgalow, located in Oak Bay near school and bus. Full cement basement with garage and furnace. $2,500 cash handles. Venetian blinds and linoleum included. Phone owner, evenings, E 2603. No agents.

5-ROOM BUNGALOW IN CITY, BETWEEN Gorge Road and Burnside. Two bedrooms, open fireplace in sitting-room, full cement basement, furnace; corner lot, 60 x 110, in garden; new Duroid roof; $2,350. Owner. Box 8114 Colonist.

$2000—4 BRIGHT ROOMS, STUCCO ... Terms. 225 Scollard Building.

1005 LOGAN AVENUE—SMALL BUNgalow, fruit, lot southern slope. E 3048.

$2200 CASH—SEVEN ROOMS, 60-FT. lot. Taxes $70. 632 Ogran Road East after 6 p.m. No agents.

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74 WANTED TO BUY—HOUSES

CARPENTER WILL RENT HOUSE OR bus with small payment down, balance monthly. Box 821, Colonist.

WANTED—CHEAP PROPERTIES

DO NOT LOOSE FOR TAXES OR MORTgage. Will pay cash for anything that is cheap or a bargain. Immediate inspection.

WRITE BOX 665, COLONIST

FROM OWNER—GOOD FIVE OR SIXroom bungalow. All cash if cheap. Close in, Fairfield preferred. Box 481, Colonist.

I HAVE $1,000 CASH. WANT A SMALL four-room house near water. What have you? Will pay more if necessary. Box 790 Colonist.

POSITIVE BUYERS FOR SMALL BUNgalows at Gorge and Burnside, also Fairfield Estate. Also client will pay $2,000 first payment on six or seven rooms in Oak Bay with large lot.

E. B. HEATH
625 Yates Street Phone E 4041

WANTED—HOUSE, FOUR ROOMS, Gorge direction, on maximum one-acre, accessible sea, lake or stream, seven-mile circle, private. Box 412, Colonist.

WANTED—WATERFRONTAGE HOME, about five rooms, light, water and garden. Possession middle of August. Full particulars first letter. Apply Box 613, Colonist.

WANTED—FOUR OR FIVE-ROOM house, basement and garage, city. $4,500 cash. Full particulars. Box 8075 Colonist.

WANT MODERN BUNGALOW, GOOD district, $1,000 or less. Box 608, Colonist.

WANTED—OLD COTTAGE IN NEED OF repair. Will pay cash if suited. T. P. McConnell, Pemberton Building.

WANTED—SMALL HOUSE IN JAMES Bay, cheap for cash. Phone G 7178.

80 PROPERTY FOR SALE

BUILDING LOTS ON KINGSLEY Street and Aldridge Street, $195 each. Several select building lots in Saanich from $65 to $100 each. W. O. Wallace, 215 Scollard Building.

SIDNEY AREA

FULLY MODERN HOUSE AND SMALL acreage for sale. Very fine location.

S. ROBERTS, SIDNEY

LOT, HIGH QUADRA, 60 x 200, CLEARED and part in garden, $335. Oak Bay, $125. Gorge and Fairfield fate also. E 1830.

LOT, 100 x 120, OLAR HEIGHTS, ON Allenby, level and dry. E 2718.

NICE BUILDING LOT, DEAN HEIGHTS, will sacrifice for cash. E 0427.

18 MILES OUT—WATERFRONT

ON FRESH WATER LAKE FACING south. Fine five-room bungalow in new condition. Large living-room, open fireplace, two bedrooms with closets, kitchen, breakfast nook, bathroom, sleeping porch. Frame construction with Oregon walls throughout. Some furniture included. Suitable for permanent or casual home. Low living costs, good fishing. Worth $2,000. Owner must sell quickly. Terms. Price $1200

NEWSTEAD REALTY
212-14 Scollard Building Phone E 7195

OAK BAY AVENUE, BEST PART, 60X194, with lane at back. Cash $325. Owner E 2311.

WATERFRONT ESTATE! SALTAIR Point, Saanich, Sooke district. Consisting of 3 acres, with approximately 1,100 feet of beach frontage. Lovely wooding including a maple with a spread of over 90 feet. Improvements consist of a summer camp with sunporch 51 feet long, screened, 3 bedrooms, 2 piece bathroom, kitchen with sink, company water laid on and electric light at the gate. Good bathing, boating and fishing. This property is ideal for a bungalow camp or as a Summer home for a family with children or as a permanent residence. Price $3,000. Alfred Carmichael & Company Limited, 1214 Broad Street. G 1321. Exclusive agents.

PATRICIA BAY NORTH SAANICH

TWO LOTS, on the Bay, with two dwellings. A bargain.
Price $1250

S. ROBERTS, SIDNEY, B.C.

$750 CASH BUYS FIVE ACRES, ALL cleared and fenced, three large chicken houses, four-roomed cottage, barn, small orchard, artesian well, electric light installed throughout, situated close to Langley Prairie and B.C. Electric Railway. Will trade for Victoria or Saanich property. Apply Box 858, Colonist.

80B CITY PROPERTY

ONLY THREE LOTS LEFT IN ORANville Park subdivision. Phone E 1710.

80C OAK BAY

HAMPSHIRE ROAD — IMPROVED LOT, view lot. Local improvement paid. $375. Phone E 5176.

80D SAANICH

BRENTWOOD—3-ROOM EXCEPTIONally well furnished cottage, close to waterfront. Basement, 1 bedroom, sitting-room, kitchen. Surrounded by a variety of shrubs and trees. $850. W. O. Wallace, 215 Scollard Building.

DEEP COVE, ON BIGNWAY, 4-ROOM cottage, partly furnished, with 5 acres of land, all fenced, fruit trees, close to waterfront. $2,100. W. O. Wallace, 215 Scollard Building.

EXTRA LARGE LOT, BEST SOIL, NEAR all facilities. $180. W. Lambert, Gunnersville Road, Colquitz.

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KIRKWOOD ACRES, CEDAR HILL ROAD—Fine soil, high situation, some trees, city water and light. $300, 1 acre; $550, 1½ acres; $500, 2 acres.

FERNDALE ROAD, GORDON HEAD, with fine sea views, water, light, bus transportation. Eight-tenths acre, $850; 1 acre, $900.

MOUNT NEWTON ROAD, SAANICH. Three acres with nearly 300 feet of road frontage. Magnificent view of Saanich Arm, hills and Olympics. Large orchard, good storage shed, small barn. Price $1,000.

THE ROYAL TRUST COMPANY
Real Estate Department
1202 Government Street
Phones E 4126, E 2100

LOT FOR SALE ON DONALD STREET near Burnside. Phone E 1643.

UNOBSTRUCTED VIEW OF STRAITS, mountains, city and Sooke Hills from this cleared lot, 100 x 135. Several large oak trees. One of the last view lots in High Quadra district. Saanich, four blocks from bus, stores and school. $350. Owner E 3864.

80 PROPERTY FOR SALE (Continued)

80F UP ISLAND

FOR SALE—PARKSVILLE BAY CHARMing bungalow on 10-acre lot, facing sea, six rooms, bathroom, open fireplace, plumbing, light, telephone. Splendid soil, grand view. $6,000 cash, or would let furnished. Beautiful home. L. Howe, Parksville.

81 PROPERTY WANTED

SAANICH PROPERTY OWNERS

LIST YOUR LOTS OR HOMES FOR sale with us. We specialize in Saanich properties. Cash buyers on hand.

SAANICH REALTY COMPANY
2584 Quadra Street Phone E 0001

SEND ANY PROPERTY YOU WISH TO sell to E. E. Heath, 625 Yates Street.

WANTED—LARGE LOT, STATE LOWest ... 838 Colonist.

82 ACREAGE FOR SALE

WHILE TIMES ARE GOOD AND WORK plentiful a few dollars a month put in a good piece of land is insurance against want. We have small tracts of excellent land at Coopers Cove, inner Harbor of Sooke, with electric light and city water, which can be bought on monthly payment plan. Come in and see us. Alfred Carmichael & Co., Ltd., 1214 Broad Street.

9¼ ACRES OF FIRST-CLASS FARMland, lots of water, cottage, electric light. Twenty minutes Victoria. Reasonable. Box 840, Colonist.

85 FARMS FOR SALE

12½ ACRES, 8 ACRES UNDER CULTIvation, 5-room house requiring some repairs, barn and chicken houses. Unobstructed view of surrounding country and close to Butchart's Gardens. $1,500. W. O. Wallace, 215 Scollard Building.

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA

TENDERS FOR HAY

SEALED tenders will be received by the undersigned up until noon on Monday, June 9, 1941, for the purchase and removal of the standing hay at Elk Lake. A certified deposit cheque equal to 5% of the amount of tender, made payable to the City Treasurer, must accompany each tender. The highest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

E. S. MICHELL,
City Purchasing Agent.
City Hall, Victoria, B.C., May 30, 1941.

TO CLOSE AN ESTATE

FOR SALE

FIVE acres, Saanich. Small fruit and berry crop in good condition. Six-room house and other buildings. Ten miles from city. High location. Offers invited. For information apply Straith, Pringle & Ruttan, Barristers, 300 Bank of Toronto Building.

TENDERS will be received for supplying and installing toilets, wash basins, etc., at the Sidney Public School, Sidney, B.C. Plans and specifications will be supplied on application to the Secretary of the North Saanich Consolidated School Board. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

MRS. F. W. SPARKS
Secretary, N.S.C. School Board,
Sidney, B.C.
Phone Sidney 78R.

OAK BAY
CLOSE TO SEA

Just off Beach Drive. A very superior seven-room semi-bungalow; large living-room with sea view, oak floors, tile fireplace, nice dining-room, extra large kitchen, two good bedrooms, four-piece fully tiled bathroom. Upstairs are two good bedrooms and three-piece tiled bathroom. Cement basement, automatic hot water heating. Nice garden. Only four years old and a real home. Price $6500

We have many other new and nearly new bungalows in Oak Bay from .... $3850 up

Arrange to See These

Arthur E. Haynes, Ltd.
130 FORT ST. E 3872

EXCLUSIVE

A beautiful home almost new with marvellous view of Mt. Baker and Straits. Large lot with lovely landscaped garden, lawns, fish pond and a few oaks. This house is situated in one of the most desirable districts in Victoria and has six spacious rooms and one large unfinished room upstairs. Large kitchen and nook with special fixtures, tin lined drawers, tiled sink and many other conveniences. High full basement with concrete walls and two car garage. Latest automatic furnace. Unforeseen circumstances reason for selling. EXCLUSIVE LISTING. Price $8500

DEAN HEIGHTS

Located in an area of better class homes, this well planned seven-room house stands in a delightfully landscaped garden of half acre of rich soil. Flowering and ornamental shrubs, rare plants, velvety lawns and rose trellises and fruit trees. Living room 16 x 30 with open fireplace. Sun porch the entire width of house. Glorious view of Olympics. A restful ... seclusion. Price $4200

JAMES BAY—A good eight-room house in perfect condition ... rooming house proposition $2500

FAIRFIELD—A good seven-room house, redecorated—close in. Dollar $2200

QUADRA—A beautiful little new four-room stucco bungalow, hardwood floors, basement and furnace $2800

SAANICH—Another new ... modern, hardwood floors, basement and furnace $2650 $2500

Cash

SEAFRONTAGE—Summer cottage, water, light and plumbing ... few. Large lot $1650

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CITY

FIVE-ROOM BUNGALOW. Three-piece bathroom, hot air furnace. Near street car $2000

EIGHT ROOMS. Very good location. Suitable for rooming house .... $2600 Half cash

SAANICH

2¼ ACRES, FOUR-ROOM BUNGALOW. Three-piece bathroom, city water and light. Extensive views. Fruit, flowers and trees. High, secluded location $3500

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AN EXCELLENT BUY

Nicely situated among one or two oaks, this fully modern stucco bungalow contains six well-planned rooms. Living-room (17 x 18), sunroom (12 x 18), dining-room, kitchen and two bedrooms. Garage in cement basement. Hot air furnace. Priced to sell at $3650

CHARMING ESQUIMALT HOME

Attractive six-room stucco bungalow well situated, with good view, two lots in garden. Three bedrooms, dining-room, kitchen, full cement basement, hardwood floor in living-room. Price $3700

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PATRICIA BAY

Two acres of seafront with five-room cottage in excellent repair. Three-piece bathroom, electric pump, city light. Beautiful grounds with shrubs and fruit trees. The property is on the main highway and very good buying at $3500

VERY SPECIAL

ONE BLOCK FROM SEA — Superior type of modern stucco bungalow, custom built, at a cost of over $7,000. HOT WATER HEATED, OIL-O-MATIC FIRED. Contains seven rooms. Has large area, including two bedrooms on ground floor, and a bathroom, two extra bedrooms and sewing-room upstairs. Extra large living-room and a separate dining-room. Many cupboards and china cabinets. Pretty ... finished ... at the price of just an ordinary bungalow. Clear title. CASH TALKS. For that up and this fine home is yours $5500

GORGE WATERFRONT

Nearly five acres, nicely treed, with access to main highway. A real snap $800

NEAR ROCKLAND

An outstanding residence, Elizabethan style, eight rooms, very solidly built, said to have cost $14,000 without land. Full details on request. Price $6300

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FAIRFIELD

Five-room bungalow with basement, hot air furnace, outside garage. Kitchen, bathroom, two bedrooms, dining and living-room and fireplace. Handy to stores, school and beach $2000

NEAR LANSDOWNE

New white siding four-room bungalow, ready to move in. Cement basement, garage, hot air furnace, fine kitchen, bathroom, two bedrooms, living-room, fireplace and hardwood floor. Cheap taxes $2600

NEAR WILLOWS SCHOOL

Why not arrange with us now and have a modern five-room bungalow built on a fine avenue near the beach. Basement, furnace, garage, large living-room, fireplace, hardwood floors. You will like it $3550

DEEP COVE

Five acres, with forty fruit trees and five-room house $2100

FAIRFIELD

Seven-room home in the best part of the district, with all conveniences. Good cement basement, hot air furnace, garage, large rooms, four bedrooms. Would make two good suites $3500

HALF-MILE CIRCLE

Splendid home of seven rooms. Cement basement, open fireplace, polished floors, furnace and garage. Nice garden with lawn and fruit trees. Everything in perfect condition. Could easily be turned into an income-producing proposition. Absolutely no ... for car fares if you live here $3500

GORGE

Practically new stucco bungalow, containing extra large living-room with open fireplace and hardwood floor, kitchen, bedroom, dinette, modern bathroom, etc. Owner leaving city and will sell for only $2250

P. R. Brown & Sons, Ltd.
1112 BROAD STREET PHONE G 7171

BUY VICTORY BONDS

OAK BAY

$4500—Modern stucco bungalow containing six rooms all on one floor. Full cement basement, furnace, garage. Choice locality, nice large corner lot with western exposure, good garden. With linos, blinds and light fixtures included, the price is right, and possession may be had within a reasonable time.

1000 FOUL BAY ROAD $1050
Terms
Four-room cottage with large lot. Immediate possession.

BUY VICTORY BONDS

GORGE-SAANICH

$3150 TERMS—Attractive four-room cedar siding bungalow with furnace and garage in cement basement. Close to Gorge Road and park. Immediate possession.

We have a buyer with $3,500 cash for a modern stucco bungalow of four or five rooms with basement. Quadra or Gorge district preferred.

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SEAFRONTAGE

OAK BAY—Over one acre all in garden, good rich soil, approximately six ... waterfrontage, nice beach, safe anchorage. Would consider subdivision to suit purchaser.
Price $4500
Two Lots, View Royal. Price $1260
Two Lots, View Royal. Price $1250
One Lot, View Royal. Price $750
One Lot, 1½ acres, View Royal. Price $2000
These are all good lots, some of them nicely wooded, and all have water frontage.

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First-class stucco home. Six rooms, including three bedrooms. All good-sized rooms. Convenient floor plan. Excellent location with view. Double lot. Owners require larger house and will accept reasonable price.

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Fine large homesites, approx. one acre each. High location, excellent sea view. All cleared, first-class soil, city water, light, phone.

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CADBORO BAY

Snug little cottage of four rooms with all conveniences. Living-room with fireplace, large kitchen with nook. Splendid garden, fruit trees, small berries, roses and honeysuckle, rich soil, seclusion if desired. Only a few minutes to the postoffice, store and the beach. This kind is rare so act quickly $1800

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Selections to Beat

$1150 BUYS a small four-room home with basement and two-piece bathroom. Near bus, stores, school, etc. Taxes only $16.

$1500—Here we have another four-room, spotlessly clean cottage only two blocks from street car. Very nice garden. Lot in lawn, vegetable garden, with a variety of fruit trees. You can move right in without a day's delay. This is only on the market for two days. It will go quickly.

$1700—... sitting back from the road where you are not overlooked. Another comfortable home of four rooms and garage, with two large garden lots. There is over 50 fruit trees of almost every fruit you might wish to have; also flowers of numerous kinds. Located five minutes from North Quadra Street.

$2100—Almost new stucco bungalow with not many steps. Only one block from transportation. Has front room and open fireplace, two bedrooms, kitchen, three-piece bathroom, garage and woodshed combined. Grounds very nicely kept up in lawns, vegetable garden, etc. Taxes approx. $60.

$2800 UP TO $3500—In popular healthy North Quadra district. We have five or six new up-to-the-minute four and five-room bungalows with full cement basement, furnace, hardwood floors, open fireplace, tiled sink and other modern features.

$85 TALKING OF BUYING A LOT IN SAANICH? Just see us. If anyone can show you a better selection of lots in Saanich than this office, from $85 and upwards, it is yet to be seen.

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Waterfront Homes

VIEW ROYAL

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Doris Caley, secretary of the Students' Council, proposed the toast to "Our Country," while the toast to "Our School" was proposed by Mary McLoria with H. L. Smith, school principal, responding. Toast to the "Graduating Class" was given by Robert Zellinsky, recently elected president of the Students' Council for next year. Eileen Wills responded. A message from Victoria College was brought to the graduating class by Ray Whitehouse.

"May the tolerance, courage and wisdom gained in our association with Victoria High School always stand us in good stead in whatever sphere of life we enter," said Sam Gagliardi, in giving the valedictory speech.

Captain Elmore Philpott addressed the students on "Your Generation and Mine."

Twenty-five members of the faculty and their wives attended. Other guests included Mrs. Philpott, Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Mulliner and Mrs. Claude L. Campbell.

SCOUT NEWS

NORTH QUADRA WOLF CUBS

The weekly meeting of the North Quadra Cubs was held on Friday, thirty-six Cubs being present. The meeting opened with the grand howl and flag break, followed by inspection in corners, a game was played outside, and Cubs went to work on badges, six boys going on a message and passing successfully. Douglas Ready was invested into the pack receiving his tenderpad badge. The meeting was closed with the grand howl and Cub prayer.

SUNSHINE AND RAINFALL LOW

Figures for First Five Months Of This Year Show Subnormal Readings

Jupiter Pluvius and Old Sol showered their respective blessings rather lightly on Victoria during the first five months of the current year, according to figures announced yesterday by the Dominion Meteorological Observatory on Gonzales Hill, for both rainfall and sunshine figures were below normal.

Greatest discrepancy was noticed in the rainfall, which was 4.95 inches below normal. Total rainfall up to May 31 was but 6.99 inches compared with the average of 11.94.

Old Sol appeared for 236 hours, just forty-two hours less than usual.

A change in the weather has been forecast by the weatherman. His prediction for Victoria and vicinity for the next twenty-four hours is "Light to moderate northerly winds; partly cloudy and mild."

Mean temperature for the month of May was fifty-five degrees, two degrees above normal. The maximum temperature registered was seventy-eight degrees on May 22. Minimum temperature was forty-two degrees, and the minimum on the grass, thirty-five degrees, on May 5. Precipitation was 1.08 inches, .012 inch above normal.

Maximum yesterday was fifty-four degrees, and the minimum fifty-two. Precipitation was .38 of an inch.

According to readings taken on the grounds of the Strathcona Hotel, yesterday's maximum was sixty degrees, and the minimum, fifty-four. Rainfall was placed at .51 of an inch.

Summary for May was maximum temperature seventy-eight degrees on May 22; minimum, forty-one on May 9, total rainfall, 1.11 inches.

Band Concert in Beacon Hill Park This Afternoon

Commencing at 2.30 o'clock this afternoon, the band of H.M. Royal Canadian Artillery, by permission of Lieut.-Col. Vincent McKenna, M.C., will play in Beacon Hill Park, under the direction of Bandmaster G. E. Bower.

The programme follows:

"O Canada"; march, "The Gladiator's Farewell" (Blankenberg); overture, "Alfonso and Estrella" (Schubert); waltz, "The Pink Lady" (Ivan Caryll); selection, "I Pagliacci" (Leoncavallo); ballet music, "William Tell" (Rossini). Intermission. Oriental phantasy, "In a Chinese Temple Garden" (Ketelby); idyll "Blumengeflüster" (Von Blon); nautical selection, "A Life on the Ocean Wave" (Binding); skipping rope dance, "In the Shadows" (Finck); polka caprice de concert, "Les Chanteurs Hongrois" (C. Michaels); the regimental march.

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More Than 200 Present at Annual Event at Victoria High School

With more than 200 students attending, the annual matriculation banquet and dance was held in the Victoria High School, Friday night.

A draw was made to decide supper partners and the couples were then ushered down to the cafeteria for the banquet. Guests were welcomed by Pierre D'Estrube, president of the Students' Council, who also acted as toastmaster.

Doris Coley, secretary of the Students' Council, proposed the toast to "Our Country," while the toast to "Our School" was proposed by Mary McLorie, with H. L. Smith, school principal, responding. Toast to the "Graduating Class" was given by Robert Zellinsky, recently elected president of the Students' Council for next year. Eileen Wills responded. A message from Victoria College was brought to the graduating class by Ray Whitehouse.

"May the tolerance, courage and wisdom gained in our association with Victoria High School always stand us in good stead in whatever sphere of life we enter," said Sam Gagliardi, in giving the valedictory speech.

Captain Elmore Philpott addressed the students on "Your Generation and Mine."

Twenty-five members of the faculty and their wives attended. Other guests included Mrs. Philpott, Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Mulliner and Mrs. Claude L. Campbell.

SCOUT NEWS

NORTH QUADRA WOLF CUBS

The weekly meeting of the North Quadra Cubs was held on Friday, thirty-six Cubs being present. The meeting opened with the grand howl and flag break, followed by inspection in corners, a game was played outside, and Cubs went to work on badges, six boys going on a message and passing successfully. Douglas Ready was invested into the pack receiving his tenderpad badge. The meeting was closed with the grand howl and Cub prayer.

SUNSHINE AND RAINFALL LOW

Figures for First Five Months Of This Year Show Sub-normal Readings

Jupiter Pluvius and Old Sol showered their respective blessings rather lightly on Victoria during the first five months of the current year, according to figures announced yesterday by the Dominion Meteorological Observatory on Gonzales Hill, for both rainfall and sunshine figures were below normal.

Greatest discrepancy was noticed in the rainfall, which was 4.95 inches below normal. Total rainfall up to May 31 was but 6.99 inches compared with the average of 11.94.

Old Sol appeared for 236 hours just forty-two hours less than usual.

A change in the weather has been forecast by the weatherman. His prediction for Victoria and vicinity for the next twenty-four hours is "Light to moderate northerly winds; partly cloudy and mild."

Mean temperature for the month of May was fifty-five degrees, two degrees above normal. The maximum temperature registered was seventy-eight degrees on May 22. Minimum temperature was forty-two degrees, and the minimum on the grass, thirty-five degrees, on May 5. Precipitation was 1.05 inches, .012 inch above normal.

Maximum yesterday was fifty-four degrees, and the minimum fifty-two. Precipitation was .38 of an inch.

According to readings taken on the grounds of the Strathcona Hotel, yesterday's maximum was sixty degrees, and the minimum, fifty-four. Rainfall was placed at .51 of an inch.

Summary for May was maximum temperature seventy-eight degrees on May 22; minimum, forty-one on May 9; total rainfall, 1.11 inches.

Band Concert in Beacon Hill Park This Afternoon

Commencing at 2.30 o'clock this afternoon, the band of H.M. Royal Canadian Artillery, by permission of Lieut.-Col. Vincent McKenna, M.C., will play in Beacon Hill Park, under the direction of Bandmaster G. E. Bower.

The programme follows:

"O Canada"; march, "The Gladiator's Farewell" (Blankenberg); overture, "Alfonso and Estrella" (Schubert); waltz, "The Pink Lady" (Ivan Caryll); selection, "I Pagliacci" (Leoncavallo); ballet music, "William Tell" (Rossini). Intermission. Oriental phantasy, "In a Chinese Temple Garden" (Ketelby); idyll "Blumengeflüster" (Von Blon); nautical selection, "A Life on the Ocean Wave" (Binding); skipping rope dance, "In the Shadows" (Finck); polka caprice de concert, "Les Chanteurs Hongrois" (C. Michaels); the regimental march.

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Delightful little four-room home just outside the city. Extra room in the basement with wash basin. Hardwood floor in living-room, other rooms throughout the house covered in best inlaid linoleum, open fireplace, hot water heating, Monel metal sink, sawdust burner, double wash tubs, painted and enameled throughout, a beautiful job. Large separate garage with concrete floor. About half an acre of land, in lawn, kitchen garden and fruit trees. A perfect little home for a small family ... $4200

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Practically new five-room bungalow, with extra room in basement. Hardwood floors, furnace, open fireplace, built-in bookcases, kitchen with tiled sink and built-in cupboards. Living-room extra large and really a beautiful room, basement walls and ceiling lined; nice full-size lot in lawn and flowers. Choice locality. Terms arranged. Sacrifice price ... $3800

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Four and one-half acres, all in cultivation, absolutely no rock. Every kind of fruit, apples, cherries, peaches, grapes, loganberries, raspberries, etc., and all in full bearing. Seven-room house, outbuildings, water, light and telephone. On main road ... $3000

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will include a number of nice Pullets and other Poultry, Vegetables, lot of Sash, Etc.

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Within Victoria City Limits

HOMES are going UP!

TAXES are going DOWN!

INCREASED BUILDING

Here is the record of the new dwellings built within city limits during the past 5 years:

1936	37
1937	31
1938	71
1939	89
1940	191
1941	Over 100 in First 4 Months

Build in Victoria . . .

and build the very home you want

Never was the time for building a Home in Victoria so opportune—and never was it so easy to build the very Home you have always dreamed of owning.

The City of Victoria owns many hundreds of most desirable Home Building Sites in all Residential Sections of the City, and these can be purchased direct from the City at prices much lower than may ever be again possible. Already hundreds of beautiful modern Homes have been built on properties purchased from the City, and there are hundreds more of equally desirable properties still for sale

Under the National Housing Act it is still possible to borrow the money you may need for actual building and this can be arranged through any one of the local Home Financing Offices in leading Real Estate establishments. So here is a double reason for buying your property and building your very own home right now. Come in today and let us show you the location of the building lots waiting your selection

REDUCED TAXES

Here is the record of the constantly decreasing Tax Rate in the City of Victoria:

	Mill Rate
1936	45
1937	43.5
1938	42
1939	41
1940	40
1941	38

REDUCED ASSESSMENTS

Since 1932 there has been a reduction in Assessments of over $15,000,000, or approximately a 30% reduction.

Act Now!

Such an Opportunity May Never Come Again!

Buy Your Lot From the City . . .

Borrow the Money to Build From the Government

Some Advantages of Living Within City Limits

All the major Services expected within a modern city are in operation within the city limits of Victoria, and those building now enjoy all these privileges on A DECREASING TAX RATE.

Elsewhere builders must face the prospect of increased taxes to have to pay for such services as they are introduced in newer districts. Within city limits the Home Owner enjoys:

Lower Transportation Costs	Better Mail Delivery	Better Police and Fire Protection
Cheaper Light	Cheaper Water	Lower Fire Insurance Rates
Better Roads	Lower Water Frontage Charges	Unrivaled School Facilities
Lower Sewer Rate	Free Garbage Collection	Free Library Privileges
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EXOPHTHALMIC GOITER MAY BE PREVENTED

The fact that tuberculosis, cancer, diabetes, stomach ulcer, rheumatism and some other ailments seem to run in families cannot be denied. But that any or every member of a family in which any of these diseases is common "must" develop the ailment is not true. The very fact that the ailment runs in the family gives every member of that family a warning which, if observed and proper precautions taken, may prevent the ailment occuring.

Where tuberculosis is a "family" ailment, if the individual members of the family will see to it that they get plenty of rest and fresh air and wholesome food to the point where they are actually five to ten pounds overweight, they may prevent tuberculosis.

Similarly in the diabetic family, avoiding too much starch food and not allowing the body to become overweight, may prevent diabetes.

Goiter is another ailment that runs in families, particularly the severe form of goiter—exophthalmic—where there may be much of a lump on the neck, but there are the other "wearing" symptoms—nervousness, sleeplessness, rapid heart beat and indigestion. In his little book "How to Prevent Goiter," written for the general public, Dr. Israel Bram, Philadelphia, says that in 90 per cent of sufferers from exophthalmic goiter there is detailed a history of nervous shock to account for the disease. Following a "near" accident—a.i. earthquake, a fire in a large factory—or other situations of imminent peril to life, forty-nine out of fifty persons may quickly recover their usual physical and mental poise. One of them, singled out of the crowd by Nature, may not recover his mental and physical poise. "The trembling, the staring eyes, the clammy skin, the heart hurry and other features expressing fright, remain, become frozen, and we are confronted by a case of exophthalmic goiter."

A large percentage of patients can trace the beginning of their complaints to a period of intense worry due to business reverses, illness of a loved one, disappointment in love and other occurrences.

The apparent cause of exophthalmic goiter is a "tendency" toward it in some individuals. Under stress or strain, exophthalmic goiter develops.

Dr Bram states that exophthalmic goiter can be prevented to a considerable extent by learning and having our children learn to take "bumps" as they come along.

Registered for National Service

LONDON, May 31 (CP)—Britain's forty-year-old men registered for national service today and the authorities expected 300,000 would be added to the total of 3,750,000 already registered.

After this registration of men born between January 1 and December 31, 1901, the only two remaining unregistered groups covered under present legislation are eighteen-year-olds and the men born between June and December, 1900.

ITALIAN STYLE

An American doctor has discovered a new muscular affliction which he calls Italian lumbago. The first symptom is a sudden grab in the back.

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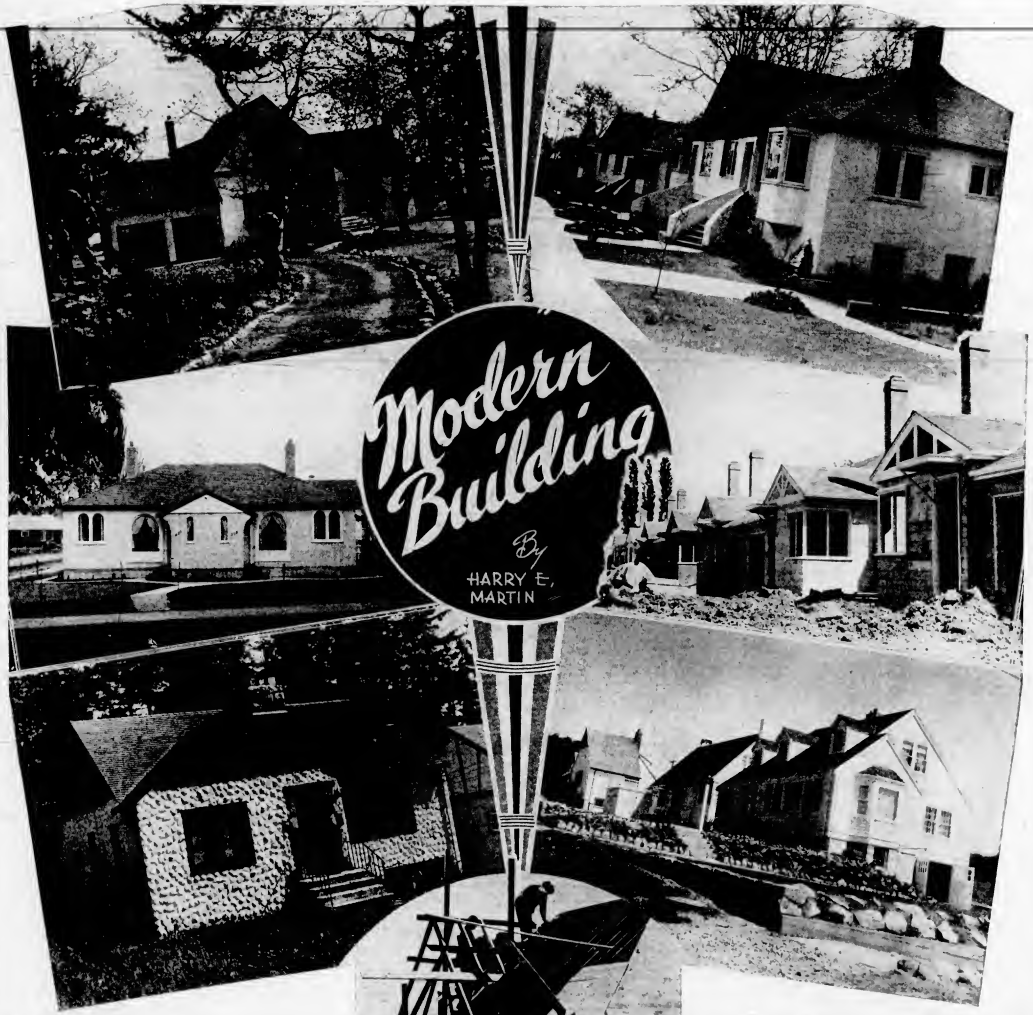

Modern Building

By HARRY E. MARTIN

THE day of the ancestral ghost, ably serving the same family from generation unto generation within the confines of a dormered, buttressed and towered manse, replete with draughty hallways and wind-swept keeps, is no longer with us. It is not that the occasional family would not welcome the sight of an antecedate apparition floating about the happy homestead. Far from it. It is the ghosts themselves who are against the idea. Loyally unnumed, they stopped ghosting when the new style of home refused to conform to standard ghosting regulations. They claimed that it was not dignified, and much too much work for any self-respecting ghost to try to haunt in the atmosphere of indirect lighting, pastel-colored walls, and silent plumbing.

The homes and houses that are sprouting from many vacant lots in the city are not built to take into consideration any facilities for "ha'nts" of any description. These do not contain the former usual number of wasted nooks and crannies, wherein a nebulous gentleman might loiter for a smoke on an off-hour. Nor are the windows and doors of such shaky and inaccurate construction that they will allow an energetic piece of ectoplasm to howl past a section of ineffectual weather-stripping into a draughty living-room for an evening's fun, while a nice gloomy hallway, or cob-webbed attic is a thing that has been relegated to the limbo of the forgotten things.

Undoubtedly of boom proportions, the burst of constructional activity in Greater Victoria in the past year has reached a climax in the past month or so that has made the old-timers in the city shake their heads dubiously, when they compare it to the building boom that swept the housing facilities to a new high back in 1908-10. But in contrast to the humming activity of that earlier period, the present din of hammer, saw and trowel is from the erection of small, but sturdy and compact houses of moderate price, eminently suitable for those younger people who are "just starting out."

New Homes Started

WITHIN the confines of Victoria itself, over 150 houses are building, or have been built, since the first of the year. And new ones are being started daily. In the surrounding municipalities, over half a million dollars is being spent in the construction of new homes in the first three months of the year. In the first three months of last year, the forthcoming building fever was but dimly seen, and only homes were being constructed within the City of Victoria. Outside, in the municipalities of Saanich, Oak Bay and Esquimalt, the building permits totaled to a bare half of the present year's expenditures.

No particular district appears to be favored by the spreading reaches of Greater Victoria. Naturally enough, the first section of any district to blossom out into scattered groups of new homes are those districts offering already installed street improvements. But time after time, streets have had to be hurriedly provided to keep pace with the growth of Victoria. The expansion is somewhat unexpected and sudden, with the city not infrequently groaning with growing pains, as it remembers that in 1931, just ten years ago, only twenty-two dwellings were erected in the first three months of the year.

Prices Increase

IN comparing the prices for the homes of today, to similar homes leisurely constructed in 1931, it is found that there has been a small increase in costs. A home that cost but $3,140 ten years ago, would now cost over $3,400. The prices of the larger, more lavish homes remain nearer par, with only a few homes above the $10,000 class appearing in the better residential districts.

The trend of home building today is toward the simple but efficient house, offering pleasant and comfortable surroundings to the owners. On the average, the house being constructed in the city now is a five-room home, costing in the neighborhood of $3,500. Popularity, it is of Bungalow style with no second floor, although the small garret may be turned into an extra spare room.

The general tenor of the home is toward the light coloring and plain decorative motif, with efficiency the keynote for all plans. Innovations in flooring, walls and ceilings are appearing, due to the press of time and the increasing scarcity of materials plentiful before the war.

New Flooring

WITH the increasing cost of hardwood, floors covered with linoleum are appearing in larger and larger numbers. The material may be of designed or plain surface, depending on the additional floor covering being considered. A quietly-colored linoleum floor, partly hidden under several scatter rugs, offers a surprisingly attractive result. Even the bare linoleum, of a bue and decorative motif conforming to the rest of the room offers tremendous possibilities toward novel furnishing.

Walls offer the greatest scope for new and modern treatment. The day of the hideous wallpaper that reminded the viewer of the life-after-death that awaited the unwary, is gone forever. In its place, when wallpaper is used at all, light patterns are presented with a flair and styling that is downright attractive. Too, no longer need the paper darken and splotch under the combined assault of light and dirt.

In place of the old type, there are now on the market papers that are resistant to sunlight fading, and that may be washed with a damp rag, enabling a uniform and bright surface to face the home dwellers at all times.

Use of Plaster

IN the everlasting search for simplicity and style, wallpaper is being stubbornly contested by various types of plaster and wood surfaces. Of the wooden or pitz types, the natural wood style, gleaming softly under only varnish and shellac applications, is most popular, with popularity waning with the increasing darkness of the wood. Such wooden surfaces cover the entire wall, and as panelling.

The other style wall covering that is reaching a peak of perfection are the types of plaster wall. When the so-called Spanish influence was first felt in the

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Any Two You Name

By Stephen Morehouse Avery

THE young man turned abruptly and entered his hotel, one of the more genteel of a cluster of hotels in New York's mid-town section. He had almost walked beyond it. His thoughts were elsewhere. He crossed the lobby as deliberately and incuriously as if it had been deserted and got his key at the desk. The clerk said: "That's all, Mr. Craig. There's no mail." Well, naturally not. The young man was thinking of something else.

It was nearly midnight and the elevator boy had all the morning papers. The young man bought one of each. He got off at the fourteenth floor. It was the thirteenth, really. The hotel had skipped thirteen in the numbering because some people are superstitious about it. At the end of a long corridor he turned rightwards No. 1419, pausing there an instant with his key in the lock. Through the door opposite he heard the penetrating ticking of a typewriter, rapidly and expertly driven. That had gone on until one-thirty last night.

He knew all about it because the chambermaid had described penetrated to him at this end of the corridor. The fat man in the suite at the end, No. 1417, gave his poker parties every Saturday afternoon and was very unlucky. The chambermaid was human and lively, a curiously intelligent old soul who once in her native London had worked at Adelphi Terrace and claimed to have seen Barrie climbing down the fire escape to visit George Bernard Shaw. She disparaged Churchill and Stanley Baldwin and thought she was a Socialist. But she referred to herself always as Jackson. "That nice young lady who does the typing across in 1418 is not looking so well. She is an amanuensis for one of your great authors. You can hear his deep grumbling in there sometimes in the afternoon."

The young man's room was just as he had left it ten hours before, his flannel dressing gown still on the floor where he had dropped it. That gave him a pleasant feeling of being alone. But he merely shrugged, slipped off his coat and waistcoat, picked up the dressing gown. Then he stretched his considerable length on the bed and began to read the papers, everything.

One paper with blunt vulgarity and a sportsman Leaves Soulmate to Face Police Alone. Beautiful Stella Post Protects Lover With Silence. George Post Near Death in Polyclinic."

THERE was a long sob-sister account of Stella's ordeal and further implantation of cowardice to the missing Coventry. The young man threw down the paper. "Fool, perhaps, but not coward," he muttered. Last night he had dreamed he was Webb Coventry, running, dodging, pursued by a mob. He switched off the reading lamp and lay there in the dark with his eyes wide open.

The persistent clippity-clip-lap-clip-tap of that typewriter penetrated to his mind again. He realized he had been listening to it all the while and he felt the ticking of it in his head, somewhere above his eyes. The young man swung and glanced at his luminous-faced watch. Twenty-five to two. He reached for the phone to complain downstairs but changed his mind and ordered some chicken sandwiches and a glass of milk sent up. "All right, go up to the corner and get them then."

He took the tray a few minutes later at his door to prevent any knocking, waited a minute until the superciliousness grinning right boy disappeared again around the turn of the corridor. Then he set the tray down carefully in front of the door and knocked gently on the door. As quickly and as silently as possible he returned to his own room and listened.

The young man realized that the typewriting had ceased. He heard the nine-year-old's door open softly. There was a long pause and then a knock at his door. She stood there, looking like what wishes and milk. "I would have known you did this even if I hadn't heard you. You are the chambermaid talks to me too, and I know you are brown-headed and grey-eyed and that you sleep late in the morning."

"No, I just did it, hoping I could make you stop for a few minutes." He was wondering whether or not she was pretty. Her face was rather pale and her eyes so full of fatigue that he could not tell what color they were, only that they were dark and deep.

SHE had a trick of lifting her dark hair from her forehead with the chief of her hand. There were tiny blue veins at her temples.

"Well, you can come over and share it with me if you wish. Don't put on your coat. What difference does it make?"

He explained that: "I'm not hungry but I'll smoke a cigarette. You're the first person I've talked to in days."

"Yes, you're lonely. I can see that. Well, so am I and I'm tired. I'm so tired that . . ."

He held the tray for her while she pushed the typewriter aside and gathered up sheets and sheets of manuscript. He said: "Nobody's book is that important."

"No," she agreed. But bread is. My employer pays for this lunch . . . Just to have me near where he lives and convenient to take dictation whenever he wishes. So, you see, you're wrong."

"I didn't say anything."

"But you looked it, and thought it. No matter though." Her smile came quickly and then vanished. It was not exactly a face for smiling. "Please have one of these sandwiches. I can't eat them all. Tell me who you are and why you are lonely here."

I'M not lonely. I'm waiting for one of your rice-presidents to arrive from Chicago. Then we go to work on a building contract. My name is Craig. What's yours?" He glanced quickly the somewhat bare room—a few books, a picture of the sea very amateur dreams, as if to remind herself of better days, the usual litter of newspapers, the green sheet of a tabloid on top.

"I'm Jeanne Gray . . . twenty-four, white, unmarried, lonely, weary. . . . Oh, so tired!" She dropped in her armchair, put back her head and closed her eyes.

Ha saw that she might be pretty and that her throat was slender and lovely. Waiting for her to say something she had picked up the paper. "Been reading about this Coventry and Post affair?"

"Who hasn't? What is there but the movies and the papers?"

"When you are alone, you mean?"

"Yes, that's what I mean. You'd better go back to your own room now. I want to go to bed. Isn't it funny to write those like this, just a few inches of plaster blocking us off into separate lives when we can almost hear one another breathe? But we can't hear one another think, can we?"

He didn't say anything, just sat there watching her. "I have never known a girl like you."

She laughed. That was the first time he had heard her laugh. She said: "They are all like me, with the same attitudes, go through all the silly motions. So do I when I am not too tired. Will you go home now or . . ." She kicked off one of her shoes. "Or I'll compromise you. I'm a dangerous woman." Then they both laughed.

They laughed and talked for another half hour. He smoked cigarettes and told her good night. At the door he said: "Breakfast is at-nine, Miss Gray."

"Yes, at nine. Very good, sir. But nothing less than grapefruit, oatmeal, boiled eggs and coffee at the Randell grill. I warn you."

He closed her door softly. He closed his own door softly. His room seemed different, more pleasant. A pleasant room and bath is about all a man alone actually needs.

SHE was quite refreshed and very gay in the morning. She ate her four-minute eggs in the Randall grill. When she looked directly at him, he thought her eyes blue-black, like the spaces between stars, but when she looked away he remembered them as black-blue, like the last horizon. Do you know what the chambermaid . . . Jackson, you know . . . said to me this morning, Mr. Craig? Well, Jackson said, 'I see you have changed your brand of cigarettes, Miss Gray. I see you now smoke the same kind as the gentleman across the hall.' And I detected a distinct disapproval in Jackson's voice."

They walked crosstown towards Broadway. At a street intersection a small newsboy flagged them with a morning extra. 'George Post Reported Dying. With Secret. Refuses to Accuse Former Friend Webb Coventry. Stella Post Grilled Again." The girl stopped and bought a copy. "I'm reading this life story of Stella Post by Anabel Rivera. What's the matter? Don't you approve of my reading such stuff?"

"I? Why, I hadn't even thought about it."

"Well, you looked funny. I just thought . . . it says they have a clue that Webb Coventry and Stella Post disappeared. He's probably right here in town. They have no decent picture. That's the trouble."

"Do you think Webb Coventry did it?"

"Of course. Everybody knows he did. He was in love with Stella Post and Stella Post admitte it now. Besides, he was coward enough to run away and let her face it alone. He is much too love in a pinch. I must leave you here." They were at the entrance to an office building. "I'm looking up some things for my boss next chapter."

"Luncheon is at one," he said. "At Dinard's."

She pushed him away. "Oh, don't be ridiculous. You'd think we were married . . . in our first year. You're not apt to lose me when I live only four feet from your front door."

"I might. You can never tell when. I want to have as much of you as I can."

HE met her quickly, searching gaze. "Yes, they were bluer than black. 'All right then,' she said. 'At one.'"

He walked on aimlessly until he saw the sign of a business college in a second-floor window and he stopped and thought there on the corner for about ten minutes. Upstairs in the office of the business college he found a woman whose hair was of a shade of red such as never grew on human head. "How fast could a fellow learn to typewrite? I mean if his pay everything depended on it."

The woman beamed. "I should think an intelligent young man such as yourself could acquire a fair speed in six weeks."

"A week?". He shook his head and went out of the office and down to the street.

A short, suave man in a brown hat came out of the corner cigar store and stood directly in his path.

"Well?"

The man moved aside but kept on staring, insulting close as if he were myopic sighted. "Excuse me. I thought you were somebody I knew but you're not him. Just a resemblance."

The young man walked on again, pausing to examine the bookstalls in front of one or two libraries. He passed by the hospital where George Post lay, starting up at the enigmatic windows. He considered the attraction of a picture show on a side street but decided against it and turned back east. He passed by the hospital again with slow steps and came finally to Broadway.

They had finished their luncheon and leaned slightly and unconsciously towards each other over their little coffee cups. Only one or two tables were still occupied and they did not have to worry about being overheard. He had grey relaxed, beautifully fragile he thought, on the table. "Why must I not ask you about yourself? It's a natural curiosity, isn't it?"

"Well, you haven't told me anything, either. You're waiting to start work on a building contract. Anybody might be waiting to start work on a building contract. But it's better like this. You are you and I'm whatever I am. I shall call you Stranger."

"Then I shall call you Stranger." He picked up her hand and turned it palm upwards. Her hand fell cool, like a flower cut in the morning. "I want to see what those typewriter keys have done to your fingers. Nothing, apparently."

"What they have done is inside." She withdrew her hand and turned both of his open on the table. "Hands tell a lot, don't you think?"

"You mean fortunes?"

"No, but this sort of thing." She touched the smooth, calloused places at the base of the fingers of his left hand. "Only a veteran golfer has those. And this one at the heel of your right hand might be tennis. Or it might be made by a polo mallet."

He laughed and took his hands away. "I wouldn't put much stock in that sort of thing. I suppose we'd better go." He put a bill down on the check and rose.

"That was expensive," she said, glancing at the amount. "You ate most of it yourself and so it's your own fault. Perhaps you can afford it, Stranger."

HE drew a lot of money from his inside left coat pocket, several one-thousand-dollar bills. "So you see?" Money no object. I'll take you to a matinee."

"No, thanks. I must work. His majesty will be in this afternoon."

"All right, then; dinner is at seventy-thirty."

He went to the matinee alone. It was all about a great man who had a chance to be happy. But the man just stayed great.

Stella Post had thought they walked slowly together down the corridor on the fourteenth floor. They had walked fast and came to their rooms. She put her key into the lock of her door and he took out his key. Their hands touched the door knobs. She turned around. "Just think how I'll have to slave tomorrow to make up for all this."

He said: "Don't think of the loss. I wonder if you will understand when I tell you this could have been the unhappiest day of my life. Instead, it has been the happiest."

She shook her head. "No, I wouldn't understand. Good night, Stranger."

"Good night, Stranger . . . Stranger and . . ."

Four nights later at about the same time, in about the same city, and yet in a different way, they walked down the fourteenth-floor corridor towards their rooms again. Her fingers were laced into his. They had never talked about love, nor crossed each other's threshold again, nor confided particularly. But there they were, her fingers.

There were a usual four days in the world. France and Italy made some sort of naval compromise. The Russian and Labor issued an optimistic employment bulletin. George Post, tougher than expected, had not died and probably would not. But he still refused to talk. Protecting his friend Coventry. Or, like a gangster, preferring his own revenge. Stella Post, still held, had a minor breakdown and her now-famous life story by Anabel Rivera in The Gazette neared its lurid end. Webb Coventry had been seen, according to reports, in Europe—at Palma; Majorca.

But none of that made any difference. It was more important that a girl now had color, life in her movements, and made many gestures when she talked, and also that the pile of pages to be typed grew higher and higher on her writing table. "Let it go," he told her. "We'll do something about that. Just now I need you." They had been merely two in the town for four days, doing just what everybody else does, a lot of simple things. And then he had told her that he loved her, and she, discovering to him, happily, had said: "You say it's chance? There's no such thing as chance. It's a cause-and-effect destiny, always. Take any two people in town you name. What were you saying, Stranger? I didn't hear you."

"I said I loved you."

"And I love you—Webb Coventry."

After a time he said: "How did you know?" And after a longer time he said: "Why don't you telephone downstairs for the police?"

"Because I don't want to. I shouldn't love you, but I do. You loved that girl and you shot George Post. Why don't you go to her while you still have the chance? See? I'm giving you the chance to be a man.

"But I can't. Don't you understand? They can't prove anything against Stella without me. I've got to wait to see what happens to George."

They were in the corridor. "Come into my room," she said.

SHE picked up some piled-up manuscript and dropped it into a drawer, then sank simply upon the straight chair she used for typing. Her chin began to quiver and she bit hard upon her lower lip. Then she gave up the struggle and put her face in her hands. "Sorry to cave in like this. I didn't mean to. It is just that I would have liked to remember that the man I loved . . . was a man."

"Oh, my dear!" He moved to her side. "So this terrible, unreal tragedy is going to cost me you, too."

She looked up. She even smiled. "It was good while it lasted, Stranger." She said nothing more until he turned abruptly to leave her and then she called after him: "Good-bye. Breakfast is in heaven."

He spent a sleepless night, thinking things over. In the morning he called a number: "Polyclinic Hospital? Ninth floor, please. Yes, the head floor nurse. Hello, I'm speaking for Post, Brett & Brett, Mr. George Post's law firm. We have a very important case paper calling for his signature. It will in no way disturb him. It is well enough . . . if we send one of our young men up with it? No, five minutes will be plenty. Thank you."

It was not a plan he could think about. If it were done at all, it must be done quickly, casually, finished before people at the hospital had a chance to use their imaginations. He gave the first name that came into his head—the man from Post, Brett & Brett. He followed the crisply-starched nurse through the echoing hallways of the ninth floor to a room. The nurse opened the door. George Post lay motionless on the bed with his back turned.

He walked around the bed and pulled a chair close up to it. "I've brought the Blackwell papers up for you to sign, Mr. Post."

George Post's long, always pale, vividly human face betrayed no surprise whatever. One of his eyelids drooped slightly. That was all. The nurse walked away. Then the man almost sat up in his bed. "Webb! Oh, I'm sick right. I've been playing possum for two days for fear they'd make me sign papers before I thought of a story that will stick. What has Stella told them? How have you escaped, Webb?"

"Simply by doing everything usual and nothing unusual. I collected all my pictures first. There were only a few. All they had were pictures and old letters, no good for identification. But I can't stand it any more, George, even for you. Stella has accused me. She told them I was madly in love with her, blackened my name all over Christendom. George . . ."

George Post's answer to that unspoken question was to reach out from the bed and grip his friend's arm. "You only celebrated Stella for my sake. Webb. She wanted to make a romantic situation and you were romantic, that's all. It is when you were outside and I told her you cared more for my little finger than for her whole body that she . . . did this. But if you give yourself up, you'll have to testify. Can't you give me just a day or two more to think?"

THEY wasted one of their precious minutes in silence. Then he said: "This means more to me, George, than just a reputation. I haven't time to tell you how much it does mean, what it costs me. I will wait until tomorrow noon. Then I'm going in." They heard the insistent rapping of the nurse at the outside door.

The telephone was ringing in the sub-floor office. It seemed portentous. Webb left the elevator at the second floor and made his way to the other side of the hospital and down a back stairway. There was a receiving entrance to the rear and he used it to escape into the street. A short, square man in a brown suit, who was at once familiar, was standing in a doorway.

Webb Coventry waited only for the man to take one forward step and then he broke and ran for Broadway with the remains, at least, of a speed that had once made him a quarter-finaler of renown. There was confusion behind him—a shoh, the bought. He caught a taxi on the run.

Half an hour later a headline caught his eye: "Webb Coventry in New York. Waits Press in Hospital. Eludes Police!"

Hardly credulous, he glanced at his watch. He couldn't have left the hospital more than thirty minutes ago.

The thing was practically and physically impossible! Webb thought about it all morning and was still wondering about it when he returned to the hotel after luncheon. There was a penciled note under his door. It read simply: "Dinner is at 7:30."

That obliterated all other thoughts. Maybe she realized there were reasons for his actions. Maybe she loved him, after all. He hurried downstairs to see if there was a public stenographer at liberty. Jackson came in with some fresh towels.

"Will you do me a favor, Jackson? You know that stuff Miss Gray is working on. I want to get it. I promised to have some of it typed outside for her."

"It's against the rules, sir. But if you'll come with me . . ."

They went across the hall. He opened the table drawer. There was the pile of manuscript. He took a note resting on top of them. It was a typed memo and it read: "Dear Anabel—Great work. Keep it up. Don't lose sight of him and we'll get if we can keep the story going for a few days more before we break it." It was signed: Stephen, City Editor."

HE picked up one of the sheets of manuscript. The name, Anabel, caught his eye at once. Here was the "life story" of Stella Post which he had read in the Gazette. Every fourth of fifth page was headed—"By Anabel Rivera, Special Staff Writer."

The pages fell from his fingers into the drawer again. He closed it with his knee. "That's all, Jackson. Wait a minute. I don't think I'll take this after all. It isn't quite what I expected."

About seven o'clock he heard the tapping of her typewriter, intermittent. Then there was tapping at his door and when he opened it she was standing there. She seemed happy. "Hello, Stranger. Were you surprised? My note, I mean. I think I must have been at work when you came home last night, and unreasonable. I wanted you to be perfect, I guess. And you might have meaning for me just enough perfect up besides lack of courage. The risk you took this morning . . . I've read about it. It doesn't matter. I'm not afraid now. They will be combing the town for you now."

"It would be too bad for the newspapers if they found me, wouldn't it? Writing finis to The Coventry-Post sensation which might otherwise be good for another week."

"Why worry about the newspapers? She put her hand on his arm. "I'm happy. Can't you tell? Did you know I have an evening dress, Webb? I'd like to put it on and see something gay at the theatre and go to supper and dance."

"Yes, that would make good copy. The characters must always wear evening dress in the last act. The tabloid readers will love it."

"Webb, dear! They would if they knew."

"They'll know."

She glanced at him quickly. "You mean you'll be caught?"

He said: "As far as Stella's concerned. I would be recognised at most places. Perhaps at a night club I wouldn't be there again. It's the last thing Webb Coventry would be expected to do."

THEY were dancing. "You haven't said you loved me, Webb . . . not once tonight."

"Well, if it's any satisfaction to you, I love you. That shows what love is."

She smiled. "This is our first dance. I think I shall name it Dance of the Lost Ones."

They stopped abruptly in the centre of the room, thinking their eyes. Dance had been a dull report. A film of white smoke rose above the group of tables near the entrance. Someone had taken a flashlight picture. He said: "I think I shall name it The Dance of Judas."

He put her into a taxicab and walked home to the hotel, but she was waiting for him at the end of the corridor, between their two doors. Her handkerchief was clutched into a ridiculous small ball.

"Wait, she said when he tried to brush by her. "I can't let you think that, not even for a night. Please listen to me. Webb, I admit it—I am Anabel Rivera, the writer of one of our sports reporters recognized you the other day after that thing happened. They decided to hold the story and they put me here to . . . to get to know you. But they didn't know and I didn't know I was going to fall in love with you, Webb. Oh, and I do love you too. Please believe . . ."

He held her sway. "Is that part of the scheme, too?"

Her eyes were full of fire for an instant —only for an instant. She put her hand against his forehead. "What can I do? How can I prove it to you? Here . . . perhaps this will." She offered him the key to her door.

He took a step backward. He said, "No, I love the dream of you too well, even though it was nothing but a four days dream. I am giving myself until tomorrow at exactly twelve o'clock. If it will complete your paper's scoop, you may personally escort me to the District Attorney's office, wherever it is. We'll start at seven-thirty."

"But, Webb! Wait a minute. Please. They'll send you to prison and you'll never believe . . . Webb . . ." She stopped. "Very well, I shall be ready to go with you at eleven-thirty."

They went downtown on the subway and got off at City Hall station. "We can cut across the square here, Webb. Is it twelve o'clock?"

"Ten minutes of. Is the District Attorney's office down here? I didn't know."

She guided him to an anteroom on the second floor and there a number of uncomfortable-looking people were sitting about, waiting—young men and women, sitting there, round-eyed and silent. She went up to a grilled window. "It's Miss Rivera, Mr. Meeker. Is the blank filled out and ready?"

"Here y'are, Miss Rivera. Needs only your names." The old man put his nose to the window bars, whispering. "Is that him? You don't mean it. Judge Arnesson will take care of you."

She turned about. "Will you come here, Stranger, and write your names? Here, just above mine. Yes, your real name."

HE wrote his name, Webb Coventry, but very legibly, his face was beginning to flush. They went downstairs and into another dingy office. With a janitor and stenographer as witnesses they were married there by a little, bald man too near-sighted to see whom he was marrying.

"The District Attorney's office isn't here, Webb. That's just another lie I told you. Come on. I'll take you there now. I hear them calling an extra outside. Maybe it's my paper."

It was. It was a double extra. They bought a copy on the steps of City Hall. It was the answer to George Post's day of grace. "Post Admits Complicity With Who Shot in Self-Defence. Coventry Exonerated. Sportsman Married to Staff Writer This Morning at City Hall."

"They were in each other's arms on the steps of City Hall, as others have been. He was still dazed. "But, my dear, how can this be? That paper said we were married. It had to have happened."

"Do you love me much, darling? I hope I will make you a good wife. I was an awfully good chambermaid, Webb."

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A Hundred Years Ago

ONE reads with surprise that Chateaubriand, the famous Frenchman, a hundred years ago, had written "There was any serious talk of a machine age, wrote the following:

"Imagine hands condemned to idleness by reason of the multiplicity and variety of machines. What will you do with unemployed humanity? What will you do with the passions and the intelligence left without occupation?"

"He realized," writes his biographer, "that social equality could assert itself only through democracy and dictatorship, that the remedy would be worse than the ill, and that the abolition of personal property would lead to a slavery in which history, however far one delves into the past, can show nothing comparable."

"Weary of private property," says Chateaubriand, "do you wish to make the government sole owner, distributing to a beggar communally a share commensurate to the deserts of every individual? Who is to judge of those deserts? Who will have the power and authority to exercise your decisions? Who is to hold this bank of living chattels and turn it to account? Make no mistake, without individual property none are free. Property is none other than liberty. The only solution is the Christian one."

With all his many moral failures he at least recognized the solution of the problem.

THOUGH good drama is still scarce in London, it is being produced in parts of the country which have never seen a play given by a professional company before. The Old Vic is touring "The Merchant of Venice" in the mining villages round Durham. It is received with great enthusiasm, and Tyrone Guthrie, the director, tells me that the words of Shakespeare are so clearly allied to the everyday speech of these country people that they find less difficulty in understanding certain phrases than would a sophisticated city audience.

Forests Grow

Development in B.C.

LEGISLATION providing for the setting aside and development of suitable areas primarily for the perpetual growing of merchantable timber was introduced in the Provincial Legislature in 1925.

To date forty-three provincial forests have been created, seventeen on the coast and twenty-six in the interior of the province, covering 8,910 square miles and 19,257 square miles, respectively.

Standing mature timber thereon aggregates 5,100 million board feet on the coast and 23,500 million in the interior forests. The total area so set aside is not all productive, however, only 9,889,000 acres, or about one-half, being capable of producing merchantable timber.

The creation of these forests is the first step toward the regulation of the cut of timber on areas which have been dedicated to permanent forest growth.

The object of creating provincial forests is to keep the areas permanently productive, i.e., trees are to be treated as a crop and not to be mined.

The management of forest land must be conducted always with a view to the perpetuation of the forest, for without proper regulation, due regard for future needs will most certainly be jeopardised. This can only be obtained by carefully regulated operations

Not only must the area be left in a condition favorable to regeneration after logging, but also too rapid cutting must be guarded against, otherwise there will be, not permanent, but periodic production with long lapse of time between one crop and the next.

The Ideal Regulation

THE ideal regulated forest is one in which only the annual growth is utilized each year. In the provincial forests it is impossible to reach this ideal at once because we actually find either a surplus of old, over-mature timber, which should be cut, or a young stand not yet merchantable for cutting.

The objective to work up to, however, is clear, and in order to reach it, stock-taking surveys are made to ascertain the quantity and quality of merchantable timber available, the growth, age and condition of the reproduction, when it will be ready for cutting, the ultimate total capacity of the forest, topography and other factors affecting logging and protection.

At the same time, an examination is made by a soil specialist in order that any areas of possible value for agricultural development are excluded and so made available for that purpose.

That this phase of forestry, that is, planned forest management, is most urgent is readily apparent when it is realised that to produce a crop of merchantable timber requires a long period of years, more than a century in this province.

Also these surveys now being made of the provincial forests are merely a preliminary to the management of the forests on definite working plans and will take many years to become effective.

Further, such plans require an expenditure of funds for the re-establishment of new stands, either by natural or artificial means, and protection and administration of the area while the young trees are growing to maturity. Under these circumstances a more or less fixed and unalterable policy with regard to lands set aside for the permanent growing of timber is, therefore, absolutely necessary

End of Douglas Fir

MEANWHILE the present generation will probably see the end of the virgin Douglas fir on the coast. From those areas of the provincial forests now established which are considered accessible under present logging methods, there can be cut annually on a sustained yield basis only approximately 675,000 m.b.m., or approximately one-fifth of the average annual volume cut in the province under normal market requirements, and even in these forests the cut has not been regulated for perpetual production.

Besides the permanent production of commercial timber, provincial forests have many secondary uses, such as Summer grazing, water conservation, conservation of game, fish and fur-bearing animals and recreational purposes.

It is not intended that the resources within any provincial forests should be locked up or that other legitimate uses of the area, not incompatible with the principal reason for reservation, be restricted, but rather that their use should be encouraged wherever desirable.

A Public Resource

PROVINCIAL forests should be looked upon as a public resource to be used wisely.

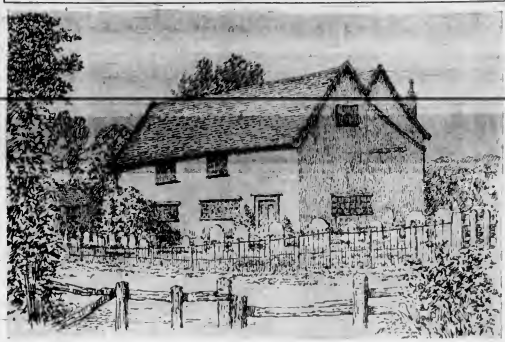
Surveys of areas suitable for permanent production are continuing to determine the rate by which our mature stands can be safely depleted.

In addition, four provincial forests on the Lower Coast have now been included in a preliminary working circle for the purpose of conducting a demonstration project in sustained yield management.

The unit comprises 21,640 acres of mature timber, with a total of 460,000 m.b.m., as well as 30,320 acres of satisfactorily stocked immature forests. It is proposed to regulate the cut of Crown timber in order to maintain a sustained yield balance and further to conduct logging operations in a manner which will best provide for future crops.

This project marks a progressive step in properly planned forest management.

The Oldest Meeting House in East Anglia



The above is a reproduction of an etching by Dr. Theodore Fisher, of Gloucester, brother of W. E. Fisher, 1401 Ocean View Road, Victoria, of the Meeting House. This building is situated at Walpole and is said to date from 1647. It is well built and was enlarged about the time of John Wesley's preaching tours and the pulpit was no doubt installed about that time. A ship's mast was used for the main pillar supporting the roof and ship's spars for the smaller pillars of the gallery.

THIS Meeting House stands as a memorial, giving evidence of the rising spirit of democracy, desiring to free the common people from religious domination The very same spirit that afterwards framed the Constitution of the United States of America. The heavy hand of oppression had no doubt been lifted a few years before which exerted an important influence on future British history. It is common knowledge that most of the emigrants to America were men and women seeking to escape from the restriction of their beliefs. A thought is suggested that had it not been for the steady flow of such sturdy English stock to the American continent the French language, and not the English, would have competed with Spanish for the first place as the most widely spoken language in the world East Anglia had for many years been the home of the wool trade and cloth weavers. One writer states, "England's wealth was drawn chiefly from its wool." The wide sheepfolds of St Edmunds and the sheep walks of the heaths of Suffolk sent large quantities of wool to the Low Countries during the thirteenth century. Cloth weaving was started for home use and soon became an industry for export. The town of Bury is first mentioned as exporting, then Ipswich followed about 1282. The name of Versey cloth originated from a very picturesque village in Suffolk, and worsted takes its name from Worstead in Norfolk. John Winthrop, the first governor of Massachusetts, was a member of a family of cloth workers residing at Lavenham in Suffolk He emigrated in 1630 The loss of such emigrants caused a good deal of distress at that time. Complaints here recorded in 1637 against Bishop Wren of Norwich Cathedral, stating that in consequence of his actions "many of His Majesty's subjects to the number of 300 (many names given), some of them setting a hundred poor people to work, have removed themselves, their families and estates into Holland and other parts beyond the seas, and there set up and taught the natives the said manufactures to the great hindrance of trade in this kingdom and bringing extreme want of the very many who were by these parties set on work."

It was a time of strong religious convictions and a struggle for freedom of thought. Attempts by authorities to confine religious beliefs with certain lines were not dictated solely by the conviction that such lines were divinely ordained. The heads of the state considered that religious uniformity simplified government. Queen Elizabeth herself looked upon extreme Puritans as rebels, which was unreasonable, as they were otherwise loyal citizens. In those days hiding holes were built in many manor houses, providing shelter for religious fanatics, many Roman Catholics at that time being suspected of plotting the assassination of Queen Elizabeth.

It is possible to admire the strength of human nature which enables it to fight for a conviction, embodying a noble ideal, but freedom of mind often may release some weaknesses of human nature Even the peaceable Quakers seem to have occasioned trouble by too energetically expressing their views. A young Quaker in 1657 was condemned by two justices of the peace "To be openly whipped at Nayland, Suffolk till his body was bloody as the law in such cases enjoyneth." The law referred to was the law against vagrancy. This young man's journey from Westmoreland, having been interpreted as a breach of the law. To give some idea how independent thinking was suppressed in Europe at that time, Giordana Bruno might be mentioned, who without doubt possessed one of the greatest intellects of his day, he was burnt as an heretic at Rome in 1600 A.D. Versed in Grecian philosophy and inclined to pantheism, he lectured on the "Divine Unity of the Universe," but his life was forfeited for ridiculing some miraculous power claimed by church traditions. The great sculptor, Torrigiano Pietro lost his life at Seville in 1522 for smashing an image; its poor workmanship had offended his artistic nature and he considered it unfit for veneration. For this act he was condemned to death, but avoided martyrdom by committing suicide in prison. In his youth he studied with Michelangelo and was of a very passionate disposition, perhaps his equal in genius. A slighting remark from Michelangelo so enraged him that he struck him on the nose, causing the disfigurement seen in the portraits of this remarkable man. Torrigiano Pietro is credited with modeling the most beautiful hands ever produced by art. Some of his monumental work may be seen at Westminster Abbey today

The translation of the Authorised Version of the Bible was finished in 1611. No doubt the building of the Meeting House at Walpole in 1647 may be attributed to this fact. It was then possible for the Scriptures to be read in private homes. People began to think for themselves and gather together for Christian fellowship, but such meeting places were not common until after the Civil War, a war that divided families and friends in a life struggle, when private convictions were backed by lives in action, even to death.

It was after John Wesley's preaching had stirred the whole of England, small chapels and meeting houses sprung up like mushrooms in the rural districts, mostly sustained by local preachers and laymen. Wesley himself never left the Church of England and never desired to cause schism. His voice was raised calling upon all members of the church to practice their beliefs as true Christians. His declaration was that the profession of love to God demanded love and service of fellowmen, that the oppression of the poor was sinful, and that Christian duty was for the strong to protect the weak and for the rich to succor the needy. The freedom of all the meeting houses of today is due to early reformers, whose sacrificial lives were inspired by Scriptural democratic principles. In many parts of Europe today such freedom has vanished. Dictatorship is again heading up in world authorities, destroying such hard-earned freedom. The call is urgent for all who love liberty, truth and justice to stand and act together in preserving national liberties, as expressed and upheld by both the Constitution of the United States of America and the British Commonwealth of Nations.

The Song of Hiawatha

(The forthcoming performance of Coleridge-Taylor's "Hiawatha," which is to be presented at the Willows on Tuesday, June 3, in aid of the Red Cross Society's funds, has inspired the following reminiscences. The author, Mrs Amy Lane, who now lives in Victoria, as a young woman in her early twenties, knew the composer's family well, and frequently visited their home.)

HAVING seen that Coleridge-Taylor's composition, "Hiawatha," is to be given here on June 3 in aid of the Red Cross, I thought you might be interested in some personal reminiscences of the composer.

According to my English encyclopaedia, S Coleridge-Taylor (1872-1912) was trained at the Royal College of Music, and in 1898 had an Orchestral Ballade performed at the Gloucester Festival. The following year he produced his cantata, "Hiawatha's Wedding Feast," and in 1911 composed the music for Alfred Noyes' "Peace Poem" Full details of his compositions may be found in any musical encyclopaedia. I shall devote my recollections to the personality of the composer and the members of his family.

I remember him as a most gentle and courteous man, always very well dressed, with simple, unaffected manners, utterly unspoilt by success, and entirely engrossed by his music and his family and adored by his children.

Mrs. Coleridge-Taylor was an Englishwoman, very gracious, good looking, with classical features, very dark hair and eyes, and an English complexion. Although she had a beautiful skin she had not much color.

Hiawatha, their son, was a really beautiful child. He was black, like his father, was very sensitive, and also had his father's gentle disposition. But his features were like his mother's. He had beautiful large dark eyes, lovely black hair, rather long, and very thick, soft, silky and wavy. I remember that he had a way of looking very steadily at anyone at whom he was talking

Gwendulyn, the little daughter, was as fair as a lily, and reminded one of a flower or a fairy. She had blue eyes, beautiful color in her cheeks, and a tremendously thick crop of fair golden hair. But although she was so fair, her features were like her father's, and particularly was this true of her hair, which was a mass of kinkly curls right up to the scalp. It took her mother more than an hour, morning and night, to comb it out, and Mrs. Coleridge-Taylor often said that if she did not do it so thoroughly she would never be able to comb it out at all. It was certainly a most difficult task to get the comb through it at all. I know, because I did it once when Mrs. Coleridge-Taylor had to go to London to hear a rehearsal of a new composition by her husband She could not take the children with her, and so she left them with my mother and father, who were then living in Eastbourne That, I think, was in 1911.

Hiawatha and I had the same violin teacher at one time (about 1907). He was about five years old at that time, and very clever. Our teacher was Evelyn Petherick, who was a member of the London Petherick Quartette.

When we first knew the Coleridge-Taylors they lived at Norbury, near Croydon, their house being called Hill Crest. It was after we moved to Eastbourne that the Coleridge-Taylors stayed several times at my parents' home.

The children were both musical. Gwennie as a child had a pretty voice. I remember her mother telling us that once, when Gwennie was about five years old, the children at her school were practicing a song for a concert when her teacher noticed how much better Gwennie sang it than the other pupils. Asked if she already knew the song, Gwennie said that her daddy had written it! I believe the song was "Big Lady Moon," but I cannot be certain of this. I remember, too, that when Mr. Coleridge-Taylor was composing, his wife sometimes took the children away for a visit so that they would not disturb their father

I remember attending a big special concert at Devonshire Park, Eastbourne, in 1911, I think, when Mr Coleridge-Taylor was to conduct the orchestra, consisting of forty-nine players. The regular conductor was Herr Tass, so I feel sure that on this occasion it must have been one of Coleridge-Taylor's compositions that was being played. The price of the seats was high, and every seat was sold. The concert was a huge success, and the applause for Mr. Coleridge-Taylor was deafening.

In 1912 this great composer died. It is a long time ago, but I remember Mrs Coleridge-Taylor telling my mother about how she and Hiawatha had gone out, leaving Gwennie and her daddy together in his study, where he was writing. A short time after the others left, Mr. Coleridge-Taylor told Gwennie that he was tired and was going to sleep. When her mother arrived home, Gwennie was still in the study, and her daddy had "fallen asleep."

The mother and two children stayed with us again the following Summer, but the little family seemed very incomplete without Mr. Coleridge-Taylor, particularly when they went walking along the sea They had always been such a happy, united family, the father walking-hand-in-hand with his children.

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Mrs. Lane, who contributed the foregoing matter, enclosed a picture of Coleridge-Taylor, which suggests how he came to win his reputation as the most famous of the world's Negro composers As a matter of fact he was not a full-blooded Negro, his father being a West African doctor of medicine, but his mother being English. He was born in London, and as a child sang in a church choir at Croydon. He studied the violin and composition at the Royal College of Music, and his first important work was a symphony at St James' Hall in 1896 But his reputation rests on the trilogy of Hiawatha, part of which is to be heard here on June 3.

Modern Building

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country, the householder was able to spend many gloomy evenings idly watching the plaster or stucco darken and drop from his ceiling and walls in crumbly pellets, after having been up for a bare two years.

But not any more. In the first place, stucco, as stucco, is definitely "out," both inside and outside of houses. In the second place the stucco enthusiasts may now have a stucco that will stick for good, once plastered on the wall.

Nonetheless, in spite of the advances in the field of stucco, the possibilities of plaster inside the home is becoming apparent, and it is being readily taken up by the new home builder.

Paint Mixed In

PERHAPS the newest style in plastering involves the new "Tiffany Blend." A comparatively recent innovation, this styling is achieved by the use of six different colors worked into the plastering of an irregularly surfaced plaster wall. Before the coloring or the plaster is dry the colors are worked together, to form a pleasant mingling of the different hues, readily distinguishable in the centre, and softly blending at the edges.

But nowadays whether the plaster is rough or smooth, whether it is to be light or dark, the color is almost always worked into the plaster itself as it is being laid on. It is seldom painted over the plaster when dry, only to chip off at a later date

In dealing with the plaster as it is used at the present time, contractors and home builders generally have learned that an application of paint or varnish, where it can be afforded, over the outside plaster of the building will insure long life to the surfacing and also materially cuts down on the heating costs, helping to act as insulator. It is said, too, that such a treatment will make the house cooler in the heat of Summer.

Ceilings are today almost always of a very light color, usually painted in a cream or flat white tone, for the maximum reflection of light. With the use of indirect lighting becoming more and more prevalent, reflecting surfaces not only make a room more cheerful to the householder, but cut down on the light bills by making necessary fewer lights.

Less Woodwork

A TREND toward the minimum of indoor woodwork is making itself felt in the newer small houses. Rather than a heavy wainscoting, and much woodwork about the doors and windows, rooms now accent the smooth stretch of uninterrupted wall, with plaster going right to the jamb and to the hinge panels about doorways and windows.

Such woodwork as there may be, is customarily of a light color, frequently of the same color as the surrounding wall, and often of a flat white color no matter what the wall shade may be.

Doors, too, are responding to the simple treatment. In lieu of the ornate, filigreed door, irregularly pierced by windows and glass work, the present doors tend toward the "mono" type. Made of a single slab of burnished wood, or of a framework covered with light veneer in the more inexpensive cases, the doors lack any attempt at decoration or paneling

Simple Styling

WITH the increasing popularity of the "simple" styling, homes are for the most part of the bungalow style, with a large living-room, a small dinette, kitchen, bath, and two bedrooms. In keeping with the rest of the house where the superfluous ornament is conspicuous by its absence, cupboards in all but the kitchen are of the large, but inconspicuous style.

Bedrooms show the possibilities of the hidden cupboard to best advantage, with several of the newer houses having their large cupboards with sliding doors, running from either end and meeting in the centre with an almost unnoticeable line of union. The doors slide open to full width, allowing of easy access And the interior, in keeping with every cupboard elsewhere in the house, is painted a brilliant hue that brightens the interior of the closet and prohibits the former closet fumbling sessions.

Effective Plumbing

PLUMBING, in both the bathrooms and the kitchens, is essentially of a simple, almost severe, style. No efforts are being made to furnish a home with colored or elaborately-styled plumbing fixtures, because of the difficulty of obtaining replacements in case of accident, and also by reason of the trend toward simple severity in planning.

Some homes make concessions to the simplicity of the bathroom by merit of wall decorations. On the market at the present time are "transfers" of figures and designs that may be readily transferred from the design sheet to the wall. A slight application of varnish or shellac to make them waterproof, and they are there for as long as the owner wants them. Not infrequently does one encounter a few squids, a shark, the odd sponge or two, and an impossible-looking oyster floating harmoniously and colorfully about the walls surrounding a bathtub.

Such designs may be had in many sizes and stylings, that will fit in with the child's bedroom, or a rumpus room, or for any type of domicile desired. They are inexpensive, too.

In considering the plumbing in a home, the popularity of the copper plumbing, rather than the galvanized iron piping, is making itself felt. Such demand is steady by reason of the ease of installation, and the guarantee of longevity and freedom from trouble.

Planned Efficiency

IN the kitchen of the latest homes the householder has a planned efficiency showing in every smooth, regular contour of sink, stove, refrigerator and cupboard. No longer is the floor space cluttered with a stove in one corner, a kitchen table precariously surviving in the middle of the floor, while cupboards ranging from ceiling-high to floor-low levels, tested the elasticity of the housewife. Rather, a shelving running around three sides of the room covering a string of cupboards provides ample working space, while just out of the way rises another length of cupboarding, making an even flanking of the kitchen walls.

At shelf-level the sink fits snugly into a drainboard, set at a height that offers the maximum in ease to the worker. The stove, too, offers almost streamlined conformity to the general tenor of the kitchen, fitting in harmoniously with the balance of the kitchen fittings.

Ample Window Space

NOTEWORTHY in this room is the flood of light pouring through the large windows in the day time, and the high reflectivity of the lightly-colored walls and woodwork in the rays of the electric light at night time, insuring a bright, workable room where dirt shows in the most minute quantities . . . the ultimate in kitchen planning.

The windows throughout the new homes offer startling contrast to the miserly panes of leaded glass that was popular a few years ago. In living-rooms, great glistening panes of unbroken glass filling the now-popular "view window," offer the householder the maximum in vision and light, stretching as they do from floor to ceiling.

In every room of the house, ample window space is noticeable, with even corner windows in sections of the building wherein they fit tastefully.

In the majority of instances, the windows are covered with Venetian blinds on the inside, painted the same color as the walls of the room. Nor is it unusual to find a Venetian blind acting in the capacity formerly delegated to the canvas awning outside, stretching down from the wall over the window.

Most Popular Heating

HEATING of the newer homes is done popularly by hot air furnaces. Such furnaces, due to the size of the house, provide quick, ample and cheap heating to the homes. In addition, the installation is readily achieved with cost kept low.

Of course, every home builder has his own ideas about little innovations and novel stylings in his new home. Most popular idea to all home builders is the construction of a rumpus room, either by plan or by utilizing waste space.

Such rooms provide opportunity for the children, or for partying guests, to enjoy themselves without having to take too great care of their surroundings. Such rooms are usually in the basement of the homes wherein they are a planned adjunct to the menage. In other homes, where they are constructed from available waste space, they may be either in the basement or the attic. A formerly bare, joist-lined attic, or stud-lined cellar room may be converted into a cheerful rumpus room through cheap but ready paneling of the walls with beaver board or fibre board with a veneer finish. It is simple, inexpensive and most effective.

Another little gem of an idea originated by a local man involved the use of a bar in his kitchen. Being strictly temperance, although yearning for the doo-dads that go with intemperance, he concocted the idea of a coffee bar. Now his guests solemnly file into the kitchen on party nights, the host hauls at a section of wall, and out from the shelving and cupboards pivots a little bar, equipped with every modern gadget for the serving of coffee.

Need Apartments

THERE is no doubt but that Victoria is undergoing one of the major building booms of the history of the city. But by canvass and conversation it has been determined that while great attention is being paid to the erection of small homes and apartments that would do good the heart of the average married man, with his wife and perhaps one child, small attention has been paid to the plight of the bachelor.

For with the advent of the thousands of the military, naval, and Air Force men to the city, have come tens and hundreds of the professional and laymen who are indispensable to the welfare and well-being of any community. It is that type of person who is suffering from the lack of housing in the city.

It has been announced, however, by several of the more important architects and contractors in the city that plans are afoot to construct several blocks of "bachelor apartments," wherein the average man may find a home, complete with all modern equipment and conveniences, that will hold its own in vying with the sturdy, compact, and modern home that is springing into being throughout the city and district daily.

Russians Love Hamlet

PERHAPS it is small wonder that the gloomy Dane appeals to the Russians. The soliloquies of Hamlet reveal the workings of a mind that has much in common with some of those revealed by Chehov. Anyhow, Russians love "Hamlet" and since they started celebrating Shakespeare's birth (and death)—the 325th anniversary—on April 23 last they have continued with their broadcasts and talks and extracts from the plays. "Hamlet" is still going strong and any occasion for its revival is largely seized upon.

The work of the church is essential and never more essential than in these times, and for that reason we must not allow the strain of war to slacken our pace.

Honor is to be sought and not fame: we are to seek honor, upright walking with our own conscience every hour of the day, and not fame.

Some Nature Odds and Ends

By Robert Connell

I HAD the pleasure of accompanying my friend Goodlake to the southeast corner of Bechler Bay recently (Bechler Bay is the place where the trail through the woods, now in all their beauty of early Summer. These are not of the ordinary forest type composed only of coniferous trees. The cedars and firs are thoroughly mixed with maples and alders, and you come upon charming glades with open bottom land overhung by sweeping branches full of young and tender leaves. The immediate vicinity of the bay from the chief's house on is full of interesting glimpses of the sea through narrow coves walled by basaltic cliffs and of the many islets for which the bay is peculiarly noted. We had not gone far, then, time being short, but kept up among the trees between the grassy flats and the rough and crazy hillside, coming out not far from the old graveyard and near the little stream that runs down through a steep-sided valley of its own cutting. Here are the first of the old village buildings. Between wood and rock at the edge of the sea a fine stretch of greensward is cropped short by the sheep that pasture it, but its preserved in due by the winds that sweep in from the southwest. Some remarkable examples of the effect of the wind on vegetation are seen in the bushes by the sea. Where these grow in hollows their tops are pruned off level with the surrounding ground, just as if they had been cut persistently with the knife. Another place where this is shown is at the head of one of the gullies at the point where the trail swings round.

The second part of the village lies a little further on. Here wind-blown hedgepole pines make a new feature in the landscape. This portion of the shore's background about Smyth Head is unique in our coastal scenery in the combination of broad undulating turf, dark pines, rock outcrops, and the number of isles. From Smyth Head you can see in succession to the north Surf Islets, Village Island and John Park Islands, and Fraser Island about half a mile distant with the encircling groups of Northeast, Southeast and Southwest Islets. Across the bay are Wolf and Lamb Islands, the former lying appropriately off the entrance to Murder Bay. To the southwest is West Bedford Island and to the south Large Bedford Island, each about a quarter of a mile off, and each closely adjacent island or reefs. Aildridge Point at the southwest corner of the bay is about a mile and three-quarters away; it is there that the Indian Reservation drawings discovered some years ago occur. Altogether taking only this one side of the bay into consideration you could hardly imagine a more delightful site for a community of business and dwellers, and I have no doubt that a century ago this was the home of a busy and thriving Indian community. Today most of the board cabins are disused, though there are some permanent residents and doubtless more who take up their abode for brief periods.

A fine of gravel and sand ties Large Bedford to the mainland and makes it possible to cross at low tide. So the water being favorable we passed over to the island and climbed its rocky sides to the summit whose modest height is about twenty-five feet above the sea. The bare ridges maintain in their protected recesses some of the rarer species of alpine flora, there is a complete absence of open grass. Below us the sea birds flew and swam, among them a white-green or pelagic cormorant, the white flank-marks of whose breeding plumage were particularly noticeable as he dropped into the water below us.

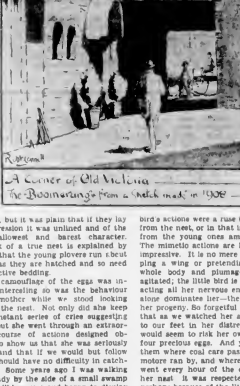
We rested at the home side of the bar under a striking outcrop of rock with numerous grassy ledges. On the turf slopes here the buttercups were out, though hardly as numerous as I have seen them, but with the usual proportion of double ones. On our way back I picked some dainties whose deep crimson buds attracted me. When they opened at home I found that the white inside of the strap flowers was decidedly rosy. No mercly "crimson-tipped" flowers were these. I am inclined to think that flowers near the cutting suffer a "sea change."

Strange Place for a Nest

AND now let me take you for a brief journey Up-Island, and so imagine yourself put down at the dead wharves at Genoa Bay as I was recently. Along the waterfront extend the colliery railway tracks from Cumberland and, at ground level, others high overhead where the black trestle-work stands out against the sky. It is normally a busy place indeed, as the long lines of coal cars move to and fro, and from the bolster of the loading boats comes the sound of falling coal and the clouds of black dust. The sides of the wharf show the berths are decorated with the tokens of visiting vessels. Some are merely the names of the craft and its captain with the day and port, but pictorially adorned with national and house flags. Still others and these the most entertaining, are made in appreciation on the cook's galley and be producte, in verse or just plain prose. Occasionally the verse is paralyzed. On the land not only do the trelins of cars run along the rails but automobiles take their less determined course, and everywhere men are coming and going. It is the last place you would describe as quiet or undisturbed; certainly the last where you would expect to come on a bird's nest open and defenceless. My friend Greig took me along the tracks where the trestle is busiest. As we walked along a killdeer plover appeared on the wing with its customary cries. We stopped and my friend said: "We are now within two or three feet of its nest; see if you can find it." I looked and looked at the dry bare ground, as open to inspection as a table top. Not a trace of nest could I find. Then suddenly as if by magic four eggs took form, their points all turned inwards so that they formed a compact rosette of dull brownish yellow mottled with brown and black. It was an admirable example of natural camouflage. When we think of a nest we usually picture a receptacle made of some fibrous material or at least lined with something soft and fitted for the nurture of the tiny young. But here was nothing but the hard ground. We did not disturb the eggs of course, but it was plain that if they lay in a depression it was unlined and of the very shallowest and barest character. This lack of a true nest is explained by the fact that the young plovers run about as soon as they are hatched and so need no protective bedding.

If the camouflage of the eggs was intensely interesting so was the behaviour of the mother while we stood looking down at the nest. Not only did she keep up a constant series of cries suggesting trouble but she went through an extraordinary course of actions designed obviously to show us that she was seriously injured and that if we would but follow her we should have no difficulty in catching her. Some years ago I was walking with a lady by the side of a small swamp when a killdeer rose and began to display its shamming gymnastics. My companion was quite convinced the bird was injured and wished to go to its assistance. It was a little difficult to convince her that the bird's actions were a ruse to draw us away from the nest, or in that instance possibly from the young ones among the grass. The mimetic actions are both varied and impressive. It is no mere matter of dropping a wing or pretending a limp. The whole body and plumage are intensely agitated; the little bird is putting into her acting all her nervous energy. One idea alone dominates her—the preservation of her progeny. So forgetful of herself is she that as we watched her she came almost to our feet in her distress, prepared it would seem to risk her own life for those four precious eggs. And yet she had laid them where coal cars passed daily, where motors ran by, and where men came and went every hour of the day. Known as her nest it was respected, all the more perhaps because of the little killdeer's apparent folly and her undoubted bravery.

The British equivalent of the killdeer may be said to be the lapwing, or as it is more popularly called pewit, or peeswee, a name suggested by its cry just as is the killdeer's. I confess that my affection for the killdeer is at least partly associational. Among my earliest remembered I number the sound and the sight of the peeswee. I think every country boy in the British Isles knows the bird, its nest, and its eggs. It belongs to the plover family, though to a different genus than our killdeer and naturally there is a similarity of habit. I always think of it as connected with upland farms and moorlands and with white clouds and a fresh breeze. I notice some of our bird students think the killdeer's voice tiresome in its repetitiousness, and the same fault might be found with the peeswee's. For myself I never weary of the killdeer. In its cry there is to me that admixture of the plaintive and the cheerful which makes certain poetry and music delightful. Such is the power of association!



The Whitebeam

IN a friend's garden the other day I noticed an unfamiliar tree. Although the flowers were those of a rowan or mountain ash it had not the pinnate leaves of our well-known tree, but instead had quite large oval toothed ones with a white downiness below. I recall seeing on the east side of Foul Bay Road some years ago a rowan with partly pinnate leaves, but this was my first acquaintance with one possessing all of entire oval leaves. Thanks to my friend, I have found out since that the tree is Sorbus aria majuscula, a hybrid between the variety thibertii of Sorbus aria, the whitebeam of the British Isles, and the Foul Bay Road tree was possibly another variety. In England the whitebeam was said many years ago to grow nowhere so spontaneously as on the ruins of the ancient Roman town of Bitchester, or Calleva, as the Romans called it, in Hampshire. The village was visited by W. H. Hudson, the naturalist and writer, in 1903, but although he speaks of oak, ash, hazel, hornbeam, bramble, briar and ivy, he makes no reference to the whitebeam. Darwin spent a good deal of time near Bitchester, for it was there he gathered much of his information about the continuance of earthworms, but naturally he confines his remarks to the purpose in hand. Black's Guide to Hampshire gives two pages to Bitchester and its ruins and rhapsodizes thus: "Alas for the famous city where Briton and Roman successively held their state! Gone! gone! thick brushwood, marshy coppice—these are its Sic jacet." But not a word about whitebeam! Even the botanical writers are rather brief in their accounts of it, and one of them is even driven to the name "beam" from the fact that the wood was at one time used for poles and axles of wagons. Actually it is an Anglo-Saxon word meaning "tree" and connected with the German "baum," just as our word "boom" is, whether used by sailors or timbermen. The prefixed "white" no doubt refers to the white underside of the leaves when displayed in the wind like those of the white poplar that "with silver lines his leaf."

We're Related Then!

IT is rather a curious as well as a pleasant experience when we discover that someone whom we have long ranked as a friend is also a relation, though perhaps rather remote. I think this kind of experience also extends sometimes beyond our fellows to plants, that is if we are in the habit of making them part of our life as it were. Thus to find that a pretty flower here is related to another flower in the world of the origin, a flower that has associates with our childhood or with happy memories of later life, is a pleasure, I think, very much akin to that of finding blood-ties with those whom we already know as friends.

I have at times told my readers of a charming little plant known in Henry's Flora as Hosackia gracilis, belonging to a genus named after a Philadelphia botanist, Dr. David Hosack. It belongs to the pea family, and it has small flowers with purplish or pink wings and a yellow standard, to use the terms applied to sweet pea flowers. The flowers are quite small, about half an inch long, and are arranged in umbels, that is to say, in clusters whose stalks spring from the same centre like the spokes from the hub of a wheel. At the base of the umbel is a small three-leaved bract. Except for the color of the flowers the whole plant strongly resembles a well-known British wild flower, Lotus corniculatus, or bird-a-foot trefoil. This has so long been a favorite with children who love to pick yellow flowers that it has popularly such names as "fairy-slipper" or slipper, "shoes-and-stockings," "butter-jags," "Jack-jumpabout" and "crow-a-toes," as well as the more bookish "bird's-foot-lotus" or "bird-foot-trefoil." The buds are bright red as a rule and sometimes that color marks the flowers. It has the same number of flowers and the little three-leaved bract as well as very similar leaves and a like spreading habit of growth. Now I find that some of the American botanists put our Hosackia in the same Lotus genus, so the relationship to the British plant becomes a very close one and we can exchange with a good conscience the stiffness of "Hosackia" for the more musical "Lotus," and call our plant it we will the "slender bird's-foot-lotus," thus giving force to the botanical specific name, for we have several less conspicuous lotuses. Or we can call it "slender bird's-foot trefoil"

I have always found the slender bird-a-foot-lotus growing in close proximity to the sea and when last year my friend, Mr. Gemmell, of Metchosin, said he thought he had found a plant answering to my description near St. Mary's Church in that district I felt doubtful. However, I have just received from him a piece of it and have it on my desk before me besides a piece of British bird's-foot-lotus to render very kindly gave me last year, a plant which is today a blaze of yellow. The Museum "Flora" of 1921 gives our local plant's habitat as "locally distributed, Victoria, V.I., Mus Burris. Now quite plentiful, Oak Bay, William Head." The last two are the places I have found it. I may add that in the same Museum list Lotus corniculatus is given as found at Victoria by Rev. E. L. Greene, and as English name is added, "Bird's-foot-trefoil, Birdsy-suckle." It is said to be "rare." Evidently this was a garden escape.

Ingenious Trap Proves Warren a Flagrant Offender

A Helen and Warren Story

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By MARGUERITE CARVER

"DEAR, we really must have the Lovetts to dinner. They've had us twice. I thought perhaps next Tuesday——"

Still Warren's abstracted frown as he demolished a grilled tomato.

"Dear, about the Lovetts," persisted Helen. "We must have them to dinner soon. If you've nothing on, I thought next Tuesday."

"As salt as this darn thing." Knocking a silver shaker.

"Why, she just filled them. It's this damp weather."

"Yes, all this confounded rain." He growled, unscrewing the top. "That Ninth Street cellar flooded again?"

"After all you've spent on that house? Oh, I'm sorry. Dear, will Tuesday be all right? I want to write them tomorrow."

"Write who? Darn it, now too much salt."

"Oh, you never listen! You haven't heard a word I said. The Lovetts——"

"What about 'em?"

"We must have them to dinner," patient repetition. "They've had us twice. Have you anything on for Tuesday?"

"No, but I'm not keen on the Lovetts. Always pestering me for advice. How to invest their money—what's safe. As if anything is these days!"

Grumbling on. His usual arrangement of government extravagance. And expecting her enthralled attention.

"Dear, I've heard all that before," rebelliously. "And I always listen. But anything I say—you either don't hear or you look so bored."

"May hear more'n you think. Kitten. Your discretion not so profound," he grinned. "Can take 'em in and think of something else at the same time."

"I may not be profound," retilled, "but I don't always rail at the same things. Yet half the time you don't hear a thing I say."

"I hear, all right, when it's anything worth while."

"Oh!" flaming resentment.

Anything worth while! Implying she never said anything interesting.

Obvious of her coolness. Warren dispatched fruit pie.

But over the coffee her continued silence finally registered.

As they fell the table, he coloring arm around her.

"Still sore, Kitten?"

"Yes, I am!" unmollified. And rebellious, too!"

"There!" a careless kiss. "That makes it all right?"

Confident that it had, he strode on to the library. Slouching down with pipe and paper. Buried for the evening.

But Helen brooding over his unfairness. Whatever he said—her rapt attention demanded. Yet his usual response to her just a mumbled "M-mm." Or bored silence.

That "anything worth while" still rankled. The urge to punish him—to prove he never listened. Positive she could say the most outrageous things and he wouldn't hear.

Her ingenious mind plotting fast. Almost laughing aloud at the whimsical inspiration.

A fantastic inspiration! But now in a reckless mood.

"Dear, Pussy Purr-Mew's shedding again," the camouflaging preamble. "Remember she lost all her fur last year?"

His mumbled grunt. Just an automatic response to her querying inflection.

Now she it—make up something startling. But in the same casual tone.

"I forgot to tell you— Last time Bobbie was here he got hold of your Alken and cut out three of the racing prints. Wasn't that cute?"

Another "M-mm" from behind the paper. And if he'd really heard—he'd have been aghast. His precious old book of English aquatints.

Now think of something else—even more startling——

"Oh, tomorrow morning," her voice still nonchalant, "I'm putting ground glass in your coffee. Since you never hear a thing I say—you deserve it."

No questioning inflection. So not even a grunt in response.

"By George, this is the worst yet!" folding back his paper.

"The Beasley Building on Canal Street has been sold by the Farmer's Fiduciary for $26,000. The property is assessed at $75,000 . . ."

Savagely he thumped the offending column.

"That's why real estate owners are up against it! Banks take any price to unload. Told you about that Third Avenue house a savings bank sold for eight thousand?"

Say nothing. Make him insist on some response—as he always did.

"A corner house—worth twenty. Remember I showed you that the other night?"

"Did you?" studied disinterest.

"You don't remember?" irritably. "That twelve-family with two basement shops?"

"Oh, yes, now I remember," forcing the expected enthusiasm.

Satisfied, he turned back to his paper.

Now the languid of the library. Only the faint rattle of a breeze-stirred shade. The muffled hum of the city.

Helen taking up a travel book found on a second-hand stall. The chateau country she had loved—sleepy old towns of peacetime France. Nostalgic memories——

"Where's that can of tobacco?"

"Why, it was empty," jarred back to reality. "I threw it away."

"By George, that's right. Guess I'll have to go out for some. Nice night for a stroll. Want to come along?"

No, I think not," coldly.

Always she loved their after-dinner walks—exploring dusky streets together. Perhaps some foreign quarter, so animated on a summer-night. Reminiscent of their expeau wanderings abroad.

But not go now. Punish him—even if she must punish herself!

"Sure you don't want to tag along?" his tempting shout from the hall.

"No, not tonight."

Yet hardly had the door closed when she longed to run after him. Quick, never mind her hat——

But an arresting ring from the telephone.

Mr. Morley. A book-collecting friend living nearby.

His disappointment at not catching Warren. Leaving word for him to come over. A rare Cervantes just received—from a book dealer in Buenos Ayres.

"Yes, I'll tell him. He'll be back soon."

Back surprisingly soon. Then he hadn't stared to stroll alone. Only when she was with him. A softening glow.

"Starting to rain," opening his parcel.

So that was why he came back so soon—the rain. Not because she wasn't with him!

A fresh surge of resentment. Perverse, unreasoning resentment, she knew. He might have come straight back, anyway.

But still that ranking "I hear, all right, when it's anything worth while."

She had proved he didn't!. Even the mutilation of his treasured racing prints hadn't registered. Nor the threat of ground glass in his coffee!

Yet was that proof? He said he often heard more than she suspected. Was he just teasing—deliberately pretending he hadn't heard?

But now she could prove it! Something he'd think worth while—not fantastic. Mr. Morley's message! He'd be keen to examine that rare Cervantes.

"Better have an early breakfast, Kitten," he yawned. "I want to see that Ninth Street cellar on the way to the office."

All right, I'll tell Anna."

"Make it a quarter to eight." filling his pouch from the new tobacco tin.

Tell him now—before he took up his paper. Forestall the excuse of not hearing because he was reading.

But first some casual and boring comment.

"Oh, those andirons need polishing I'm going to try that non-tarnish lacquer."

Then in her same monotone, as he lit his pipe.

"Mr. Morley phoned. He just got a book from South America he wants you to see."

Not a glimmer of response! Settling back with his pipe and a magazine.

"He said an early Cervantes brought from Spain by a refugee."

Again no answer. Her contention proved!

But a twinge of conscience. That trick—was it so clever? Or just trivial?

Yet she did want to prove her point that he didn't listen.

"Dear!" now an attention-compelling note. "Aren't you going over to see that book?"

"Eh? What book?"

Why, I just told you. The one Mr. Morley phoned about while you were out."

"You're crazy!" he sputtered. "You never mentioned any book."

"I said you not only once, but twice."

"The devil you did!"

"That's what I've been trying to prove! Half the time you don't hear a thing I say!"

"Now, I'm not deaf," bristling.

"I'm just trying to trouble to listen! If I put a question in my voice you may say 'M-mm.'"

Then tenuely, leaning forward.

"You want to know just what I said to you tonight? How I proved it?"

"One of your silly jack-pots, eh?" he grinned. "Always trying to prove something—pin someone down. Well, fire away."

"I said I'd put ground glass in your coffee! And you didn't even grunt!"

"Now, look, Kitten, don't lay it on too thick."

That's exactly what I said. But in a casual voice. And that's not all."

"What else did I fall for?" still amused.

"I said Bobbie cut three racing prints out of your precious Alken."

"And I didn't even rise to that?"

"No, nor to Mr. Morley's phone message—to come over and see his Cervantes. And that I didn't make up."

"Well, I was reading," an unabashed shrug. "If I listened to all your chatter—never get anything read."

"Oh, I don't mind you say that!" triumphantly. "So I gave you that message while you were filling your tobacco pouch."

"Did eh? Muttered mumbled in under your breath," turning through his magazine.

"No, I purposely said it very clearly. But now you know—aren't you going over?"

"I'll stop by tomorrow. Too late tonight. Besides, afraid I'll miss something," a sarcastic chuckle. "If I've got such a dam clever wife, I think I'll stay home and just listen to her!"

Revive Charred Writ

LONDON.—Police scientists in the Metropolitan Laboratory at Hendon have discovered a method for making reading badly-charred documents. The papers are treated with a 25 per cent alcoholic solution of chloral hydrate and dried at 80 degrees centigrade. This process is repeated several times and for the final application a similar solution containing 100 per cent glycerine is used. Documents are then photographed on a special plate.

Next of Kin Bureau

RECENT operations by the British Imperial Forces in Greece will probably add to the files of the Canadian Prisoners of War Next of Kin Bureau in Ottawa, in the opinion of Government officials.

The bureau, which operates as a branch of the Department of National Defence for Services under the Minister, the Honorable J. G. Gardiner, keeps a record of Canadian prisoners of war and of Canadians, prisoners of war who have enlisted in the Royal Canadian Forces and other Imperial Forces. The main purpose of keeping these records in Ottawa is to provide information quickly to the next of kin residing in Canada. As soon as information concerning any such prisoner of war is received from official or quasi-worthy sources, the details are passed on to the next of kin if residing in Canada.

Canada is providing haven for a number of next of kin of prisoners of war in Germany and neutral occupied countries. These are wives, families or other relatives who resided in Great Britain or in other countries at the time of the prisoner's enlistment in the Imperial Forces.

The bureau desires to establish contact with all prisoners of war next of kin who now live in Canada. Notification should be directed to Prisoners of War Next of Kin Bureau, Department of National War Services, Ottawa, and in each instance the name, number, rank and address of the prisoner should be stated clearly.

Autograph King Dead

YORK, England.—Reginald Hunt, head of the Yorkshire Department who had what is believed to be the best collection of autographs in the world, died here at the age of forty-six.

His collection included five kings and queens, six United States Presidents, Mussolini and 183 V.C.s—the last in one sheet of paper.

Hunt obtained the ex-Kaiser's autograph after five unsuccessful applications, and when he asked H Duce for his Mussolini written in Chinese. Constable of York asking if he were a "fit and proper" person to receive it.

When he collected the signatures of the first British Labor Cabinet the sheet of paper traveled to and fro fifty times in the mail before it was completed.

Hunt's collection included the signatures of Queen Anne and Queen Elizabeth, Disraeli, Nurse Cavell and the murderer Crippen. A few years ago he gave his collection to the York Public Library.

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In the Reich

Berlin Life Today

TO travel in Germany today is a real undertaking, writes a neutral correspondent recently in Germany. On lines where several expresses used to run daily you will perhaps find one slow train. If you are at the station twenty minutes from the scheduled time you are likely to be barred from the platform, the carriages being already overfilled, and [illegible] morrow. I never managed to get to any train in time to find it other than crowded with soldiers, women, children, and luggage, even in the corridors. How early one should go to be sure of a seat I never found out.

Sleeping cars may be used only by men, but if by chance a bunk should be free at noon of the day of travel a woman may book it—but she must have been born with a caul to have such luck. The second-class compartments are crammed with officers. With my second-class ticket I stood day in day out in a third-class corridor. The trains are incredibly dirty and uncared for, no soap or towels in the lavatories, and everything recalls travel farther east. Dining cars are very rare. During a twenty-four hours' journey there were no refreshment facilities, except that in the afternoon the train stopped two hours to enable passengers to seek food, and in the morning for twenty minutes to breakfast at a small station. All one could get was an unsavoury soup and beer; no bread, meat, or butter.

Crammed Hotels

AFTER a journey so long and distressing there is a new problem: how to find a room. To a stranger it seems as if during the war everything alive has moved into hotels. You may go from one to another until your legs will carry you no longer, everywhere to be met by porters who are incredibly indifferent and merely repeat that the house is overfilled. You may at last get a converted bathroom or a trestle-bed in one of the halls. For this you will feel very grateful. Some explain that the missing trains are used for transporting troops, others that Germany is short of lubricating oils and wheel grease.

As for food, the conditions are much what they were when I visited Germany in the Autumn. Meat rations are the same—500 grammes (one pound) a week. Poultry, though not rationed, is almost impossible to obtain. Butter rations are 125 grammes for three weeks and sixty-two and one-half grammes for the fourth week. If there is not enough butter artificial honey is given instead. Bread is sufficient and still good in Germany, but in Czechoslovakia it is intermixed largely with potatoes and is so heavy that people unused to it are bound to have stomach trouble. Sugar rations are a kilogramme a month, and it is difficult to make them last out. No coffee or tea is available for ordinary citizens, except sixty grammes last Christmas and a further sixty grammes in February. A strange drink of malt and dried figs takes the place of coffee; the diluted juice of raspberries, blackberries, etc., serves as tea. Anyone unaccustomed to the diet has a constant feeling of unstilled hunger; yet there is sufficient to fill the stomach. There are indeed many over-fat people still to be seen. It is difficult to explain this phenomenon.

The French Utopia

ONE factor should be mentioned: families with sons or fathers in France have been able to count on additions to their rations. The occupation army is not subject to rationing in France, though the rations for French people are small indeed. "We never feed from our canteens in France," said a German N.C.O. to me. "We can get what we like without cards in the restaurants. Frenchmen cannot go out to eat, for they must see that their food coupons do not run short for the home. And we get twenty francs for a mark. It is real Utopia for us if you think also how cheap wine is there."

But soldiers and officers are not satisfied with living at the cost of the French. They send food and clothing to their people at home. In one German home from which a son had been in France from the beginning, but was now back on leave the housewife proudly showed me five bags of coffee with at least a couple of kilogrammes in each, large bags of rice and oatmeal, dried fruit, preserved tomatoes, and choice fruits; and she told me how her good boy had obtained several pairs of silk stockings, a length of cloth, a [illegible] to his mother. I saw from other recipients that similar methods of plunder were practiced in the other occupied countries.

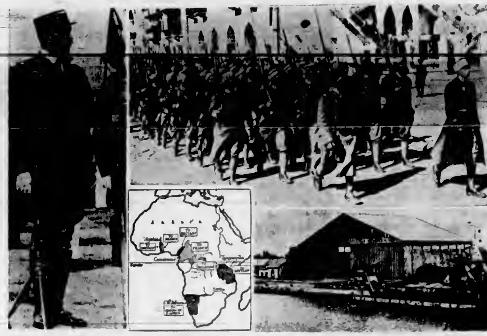
My travels in Germany did not take me to the most severely bombed towns. In Berlin districts which have been hit are quickly fenced off or provided with scaffolding to suggest building work in progress. My nights in the German capital were calm, but I was told of "particularly severe" raids recently, one lasting six hours, during which my acquaintances knew of dwelling-houses that had been badly hit and people killed or injured. But the Berliners in general have ceased to seek refuge in shelters when the alarm sounds. They stay in their beds, reasoning that the chances of a bomb hitting "just me" are small. Cinemas open betimes to enable audiences to get home before the bombing begins, and people go to bed earlier to get some hours of sleep. The thorough blackout and the rarity of taxis make evening life unattractive. If, however, you go out into the pitch darkness you may come upon a brilliantly lighted area where men are at work, night and day alike, to remove the marks of recent bombing. When such an area suddenly becomes dark "Englishmen are expected."

Drinking in Berlin

WHILE for many life has become more serious, their powers of endurance being exhausted, Berlin is lively in some respects. The war has had a stimulating influence on some temperaments, and a large capital has many types. Beer and wine cellars, music halls and cabarets are mostly full of people, who thus forget the risks and insecurity around them. Nobody thinks of saving money; what would be the good, since nobody knows what a mark is worth or whether it will buy anything at all tomorrow? "They drink as never before in Berlin," I heard said more than once. But the feast must soon end. An incipient scarcity of spirits and liqueurs is already noticeable in the shops, and the yield of wine last year was very poor. Many wine-houses have already closed for lack of supplies.

What do Germans say among themselves about the war? Well, the talk about invading England which dominated everything in the Autumn is no longer heard. Likewise nothing is heard now about quick victory. To a stranger in the train or place of amusement Germans are naturally sure of winning. And there is a note of world-conquest pride in the voice of soldiers and officers when they talk of Poland, France, Denmark, Norway, and other countries as their own possessions. But if you get a German alone he will feel nervous, wondering what has become of all the Fuhrer's promises. The chances are he will shake his head, if a little mellow, and say that "if we don't win by September the devil only knows what may be expected, as we can hardly manage another war Winter."

From critical foreign residents I learnt that the industrial output has sunk by 25 to 30 per cent. It is quite credible that the peak of efficiency cannot be maintained indefinitely. Sooner or later a reaction from the effort must set in, with weariness and the lack of proper vitamins, and the disturbed nights contribute their quota to the general decline. But where the dividing line is between genuine tiredness and sickness on the one hand and deliberate sabotage on the other is difficult to decide. Many factory workers begin to look upon the war as already hopeless. But the step is long from this depression to deliberate striving for defeat. On the contrary, one gets the impression that many who do not believe in Hitler hope nevertheless for victory as the only means to avoid the terrors to be expected from a German defeat and from the universal hate the Hitler campaigns have generated for things German.—From The Times (London).



ANGLO-FRENCH TENSION GROWS IN SYRIA AND AFRICA

Growing tension between Britain and her erstwhile ally was heightened by bitter denunciations by General Henri Dentz, left, Vichy's commander in Syria, of R.A.F. attacks on French Syrian airfields sheltering German planes on their way to help Iraq rebels, and by Vichy threats to hand back former German colonies in Africa as part of an attack on General Charles de Gaulle's Free French movement. Togoland and the Cameroons were split between Britain and France at the end of the last war and the French areas, plus all of French Equatorial Africa, are now held by De Gaulle. (Map shows the former German colonies.) At top right French colonial troops, whom General Dentz says will fight any British effort to take over Syrian territory, are shown marching through Beirut, Syria. Dispatches indicate that Vichy has already handed the important West African port of Dakar—the harbor of which is shown, lower right—to Germany as part of her scheme of "collaboration."

Maps and War

Weakness in Our Nature

From The Times Weekly (London)

LOOKING at the map in these days is not like looking at the map three or four years ago. It usually meant then either the exciting joy of planning a holiday or the sentimental joy of thinking what a splendid holiday it was. Inevitably now any joy that it may give is charged with sorrow for the suffering of [illegible] asked for is not joy of any kind or degree, but help in knowing and facing the worst that may befall. Yet, now as then, looking at the map bring out some of the venial weaknesses of human nature. Reading his newspaper by himself, a man observes that something has happened at Jub-jub. He looks for the place in the inviting little map on the same page, and finds to his surprise that Jub-jub has been left out. There are Jabberwock and Tumtum and Bandersnatch, but no Jub-jub—and Jub-jub is the key to the whole story.

With the systematic patience developed in the luxurious days of old by the searcher for plovers' eggs, he makes his eye parcel out the map and take it up and down, line by line. There is no Jub-jub. Perhaps the atlas will help. Jub-jub proves to be unknown to the index of the atlas; and it is not until he has found it in the newspaper map that he detects it in the atlas under the disguise of Djabdjab. For, of course, he finds Jub-jub in the newspaper; there it was all the time, and, what is more, there is an arrow, as plain as a pikestaff, pointing to it. And now, having found Jub-jub, he can see nothing else. The wretched place insists on dragging his eye to its once elusive self, until it is Jabberwock or Tum-tum that takes to hiding, and starts his troubles all over again. And to think of his nephew in the Engineers, who apparently sees no difference between a sheet of paper, all contours and squiggles and marks of mystery, and a real country with real hills and valleys and rivers and things; who after five minutes with a map could find his way blindfold from Jub-jub to Bandersnatch, and tell the name of the stationmaster.

For all that, the baffled map-reader does well to keep his difficulties to himself, for to call in a helper is to court worse things than the disappearance of Jub-jub. Why it should be so only a psycho-analyst would pretend to know; but not even a railway or motor-coach timetable arouses so much emulation, self-assertion, impatience, and other forms of human frailty as does a map. Let it be a map in the newspaper, or hanging on the wall, or in an atlas, it is just the same. Perhaps the map on the wall does the least permanent injury to character, because it leads to an almost purely physical contest. The stronger or the fiercer forefinger will push away the weaker or the more polite, and that will be that. The parties are more likely to shake hands after the fight than when the map is in the newspaper or the atlas

The Empire's Far-Eastern Fortress

By H. J. SHEPSTONE, F.R.G.S.

SINGAPORE—that island-city outpost of Britain at the southern tip of the Malay Peninsula—is the strongest military base in the Far East. "If you could pick up a two-ton elephant and throw it twenty-five miles, you might understand the power of the giant guns that defend Singapore," was how a British soldier once explained Singapore's defences to a traveler.

We have spent fifteen years of labor and many millions of pounds sterling upon the fortifications of this far-flung outpost. And with good reason—because, along with Gibraltar, Malta, Aden, Colombo, and Hongkong, Singapore guards our trade route to the Far East and Australia. A large Australian force has now landed at Singapore, and United States bombers have been flown there. America knows full well that if some unfriendly power took Singapore and the Dutch East Indies, and closed these sea lanes to commerce, American industries would be seriously affected. It is from here that she gets nearly all her rubber, tin, quinine, and certain other strategic commodities.

When Sir Stamford Raffles, an adventorous Englishman, purchased stands from the Sultan of Johore for the sum of £12,500, and an annual annuity upon his life of £5,000, it was an unhealthy, fever-stricken tract, the haunt of pirates, the home of tigers, poisonous reptiles, and pythons, inhabited by a few score of Malay fishermen. The transformation of this island into a healthy, habitable region, and the building upon it of a great city, tenth among the ports of the world, is the romantic story of Singapore.

Sultan's Bargain

TODAY the island is covered with thriving plantations. Piracy has been put down. The tigers have gone, so have most of the reptiles.

The story of those pioneering days has never been fully told. One historian wrote of Singapore in pirate days: "All along the beach there were hundreds of human skulls, some of them old, some fresh with hair still remaining." Pirates would go aboard a ship as passengers, with guns in their hand luggage, and then at an opportune moment shoot their way to the bridge and seize the ship.

The man-eating tigers were for years a curse. They often carried off as many as 250 to 300 natives in the course of a single twelve-month.

Even today pythons are being discovered in the city drains, living on the rats and frogs.

The great guns are cleverly hidden among palm and rubber trees in the surrounding hills, and also among trees on the innocent-looking islets that lie along the channel approaches to the city. Seletar is the mysterious naval base, with its 1,000-foot graving dock, and the monster floating dock towed out from England a few years ago.

Singapore, with its 80,000 inhabitants, is one of the most colorful and picturesque cities in the East.

The native city, with its Oriental life, appeals most to the visitor. The streets are gay with banners decorated with dragons and elephants. Of the population the Chinese are most numerous. Next come the Tamils and Sikhs. There are also Dyaks, Malays, Siamese, South Sea Islanders, and other races.

Each race keeps to its own particular section, or "kampong," as it is called. In the kampong, China, silks are everywhere displayed. All the products of the East, from birds of bright plumage, in wooden cages, to dainty silver models, cloisonne work, stone Buddhas, colored beetles, and the curious ornaments of Confucius, are all on show.

Singapore has many strange shrines. One of the most remarkable is the Sri Mariamman Hindu Temple, the finest in all Malaya. Life-size figures of cows, some with wreaths about their necks, can be seen on top of its walls. Over the gate to the compound rises a high tower, tapering upwards, set with life-size sculptures of men, women, and beasts.

In the courtyard Hindu spectators scream with excitement when their co-religionists cross a pit of red-hot coals barefooted in the fire-walking ceremony. Some run over the fire, their arms upraised; others walk calmly. Heat from the pit is so intense that the men who rake the embers with ten-foot poles splash water on their bodies. Once across, most of the firewalkers dip their feet into a bath of mud and goat's milk. Others, overwrought, fall in a faint and have to be carried out.

A Tamil shrine swarms with people praying for luck. Gamblers are in the majority. Girl-dancers from the cabarets drop coins into a money-box beside a lamp, and pray for a rich partner. In one Chinese temple, at a statue of the Mercy Goddess, Chinese women pray for children. Here are set rows of baby shoes. Sometimes a shoe thus deposited is borrowed by a barren woman, and kept by her till her prayer is answered. Then she returns it, together with a new shoe.

The Siamese pray to Buddha in their Tiger Temple. Here is a forty-foot high image of Buddha, built of concrete, flesh-colored, decorated with gold-leaf and hung with yellow silk.

In the Chinese theatres the plays often last a week. There are no drop-curtains or scenery, but little placards tell the audience that this is a house, bedroom, as the case may be. Should an actor be slain, he simply lies on the floor for a while, and then unconcernedly gets up and walks away.

Humiliation of Italy

The Times (London)

IT is tempting to speculate what most Italians—and indeed what Mussolini himself—must be thinking as they watch their German confederates take up one military task after another which they had abandoned as hopeless. After every allowance has been made for German superiority in natural resources, in equipment, in organization and in numbers, the difference in fighting form between the armed forces of the two countries, on land, at sea and in the air, is too striking to be explained in purely material terms. The Italians have fought badly, or not fought at all, because they have no desire and motive to fight, and no belief in the Nazi cause whose unwilling instruments they have become. The requirements of totalitarian war are not limited to industrial power and a high capacity for organization, though these are required in an unparalleled degree. It also demands resolution and tenacity of purpose on the part of the individuals who have to bear the brunt of it, whether at home or in the field; and these qualities are given only to those who feel that they have something to fight for. Bombastic announcements, attributing to Italian prowess recent successes won by German arms, deceive nobody. Italy, driven into war by the vanity and ambition of one man, knows that she is being asked to fight not for herself, but for a German hegemony of which the Italians themselves are among the first victims.

The natural disparity between the wealth and productive capacity of the two countries was aggravated by the fruitless campaigns in Abyssinia and Spain, which drained Italian resources for five years. Italy's position, from the moment she entered the war, was that of a subordinate. Her unhappy military experiences have fatally depreciated such slender claims as she had to German consideration. Now that the stocks of materials carefully accumulated during the period of non-belligerency are exhausted, she is in little better case—and in German eyes doubtless deserves no better—than the occupied countries. She must work, as they must work, to the limit of her capacity to feed the Nazi war machine, cutting down the consumption of her own population in order to do so. Her workers, like their, are carried off to man German factories; and if, though in fact occupied by German troops, she is not yet formally required to pay the cost of the occupation, there are plenty of other items in an account debited to her in Reichsmarks at Berlin and already far beyond her capacity to discharge. The longer the war continues, the greater her dependence and the worse her plight will become. Italy, like other countries under the Nazi yoke, has learned that Nazi Germany wants no allies. The Herrenvolk needs only slaves to toil for it and do its bidding.

Odd People---Odd Houses

THANKS to Hitler we have learned to value deep basements and cellars. Which home in Britain, do you think, is best equipped with air-raid shelters?

Probably the Duke of Portland's—Welbeck Abbey, Nottinghamshire—for it has an underground house built at great expense in the past century by the fifth duke, a recluse whose two great passions were building and privacy.

There is a huge subterranean banqueting hall. One approach was by a flight of steps and long tunnel, through which food was trundled on a tramway from the distant kitchen. The suite included also a large library and billiard-room. Miles of tunneling were dug, of which some still remain.

Another handy place these days would be the catacombs of Joseph Williamson who, in the eighteenth century, came to Liverpool with less than half a crown in his pocket, married his master's daughter, and became immensely wealthy as a tobacco importer.

Stampede From Satan!

HE developed a passion for tunnelling; beginning in his cellar, he worked in secret for a long time, then engaged men to excavate room after room. He connected them with passage after passage, dived deeper with flights of steps, and made still more rooms—some of them vast halls.

At that time, Mr. Edmund Vale writes in a fascinating account of unusual discoveries, "Curiosities of Town and Countryside" (Batsford, 10s 6d)—George Stephenson, the railway pioneer, was making a tunnel in the same area for his Edgehill-Lime Street line. He had a gang of Irish navvies on the job who believed in hell, and when they heard noises under the floor of their tunnel their worst suspicions seemed to be confirmed. One of the picks went right through the floor, the hole widened, and up popped the head of one of Williamson's workmen, who proceeded to address them in the devil's own language! They downed tools and stampeded for the daylight.

There is a honeycomb of sandstone passages and rooms in the Castle Rock at Nottingham; in fact, almost every house there originally had cellars and passages Mortimer's Hole, a genuine mediaeval secret passage leading in and out of the fortress, was used by Edward III in 1330 to gain access with a band of followers and capture the rebel Mortimer—an exploit as dramatic as any in history.

Brewery Inside a Rock

ON the south side of the Rock stands the "Trip to Jerusalem" Inn, so-called because Crusaders were reputed to be among its early patrons. It appears to be smaller than it is, for roof and walls join on to the rock. Three-fourths of the accommodation, however, has been scooped out of the rock itself—rooms, staircases, fireplaces, chimneys, and actually a brewery which has operated for centuries; from one room you can get into Mortimer's Hole.

At Knaresborough in the eighteenth century a weaver began building himself a whole house in solid rock, and after he died two more floors were added by the next generation. A descendant of the weaver was still living there when Mr. Vale went over the house in 1936; the most striking thing about it, he says, is the flooring of undisturbed native rock separating the storys

Where is Britain's smallest house? At Conway, says Mr. Vale—a fisherman's cottage built early in the past century against a tower of the mediaeval town wall.

The most original clock? On St. Nicholas Church, Bristol, for it is the only one with separate second-hands and dial, as in a watch. At the ruined church of Llanidan, Anglesey, there is a holy-water stoup which fills itself by condensation on the "dew-pond" principle; empty it, and it will be full again in about twelve hours.

You can find a book bound in human skin in the Moyses Hall Museum, Bury St. Edmunds. The skin was taken from a criminal executed for the Red Barn murder.

Mystery surrounds Oliver Cromwell's head, which was hacked off and set on a pike over London Bridge after the post-mortem hanging at Tyburn. One night during a gale, it is said, the pike broke off short, and the head fell into the roadway. It was picked up by a sentry, who took it home, and it became an heirloom of his descendants.

Relics and Mysteries

IN the eighteenth century, however, it was sold, and came into the family of the present Canon Wilkinson, of Woodbridge. Although the broken pike is still embedded in the skull, and the features show that the man had been embalmed, doubts have been cast on its authenticity. Members of the University of London Faculty of Medicine borrowed the head for six months to make a scientific examination, and their verdict was in favor of the sentry story.

In Lancaster they still mark the spot where John of Gaunt's horse shed a shoe nearly 500 years ago. The story goes that the shoe was embedded in the road. It probably lasted intact for a century or more, then was replaced by a new one.

The road is now a busy arterial one, but the mayor and corporation still attend to the matter, and there, for all to see, is the very spot!

Where will you find a ship's figurehead on a grave? At Morwenstow, Cornwall. It represents a highland chieftan, and came from the brig Caledonia, lost with all hands on the rocks below.

On the slope of the embankment just north of Wrea station you will see an oak tree growing in what looks like a gigantic stone flowerpot. When the Crewe-Carlisle line was being built a Miss Losh, who owned the land, would not hear of its being uprooted to make way for the cutting—it was one of her favorite trees; so there it stands today, a monument to feminine pertinacity where sentiment is concerned!—From Tit-Bits

Poems of Hope and Courage

VIRTUE TRIUMPHANT, by Ben Jonson

BEN JONSON (1574-1637), Elizabethan poet and dramatist, excelled in all he touched. His plays were powerful and original, his masques beautiful, and as a song writer he had few equals. "Drink to Me Only With Thine Eyes" is known to all. In the light of events today, few poems could breathe greater hope than the one given below.

Who, Virtue, can thy power forget
That sees these live and triumph
  yet?
Th' Assyrian pomp, the Persian
  pride,
Greeks' glory and the Romans' died;
  And who yet imitate
Their noises, tarry the same fate.
Force greatness all the glorious ways
  You can, it soon decays.
  But so good fame shall never:
Her triumphs, as their causes, are
  forever.

250,000 Varieties

THERE are over a quarter of a million different kinds of insects in the world. They vary in size from that of a West African beetle weighing a quarter of a pound, to a tiny creature almost too small for the eye to see.

What always changes from black to red when you use it? Coal.

What makes a road broad? The letter B.

Suburb and Country

AGRICULTURE IS A FIRST PRINCIPLE ON IT RESTS THE LIFE AND HAPPINESS OF MANKIND—Julian A. Dimock

Building the Garden Pool Demands Care, Not Genius

MOST home owners agree that a pool, even a small one, adds to the landscape planting a quality that nothing else can give. Many are deterred from attempting to make a pool out of uncertainty concerning the possible cost involved. A home-made pool, however, need involve very little actual cash outlay, and the work can be done at leisure after the rush of Spring planting is over, writes Charles E. Pont in The New York Times.

The construction of a good outdoor pool for fish, frogs and plants does not require unusual mechanical skill. It is difficult to estimate exact costs, but a pool four by six feet, with a graduated depth of from one to three feet, need not cost more than $2 to $5 for materials. Under-water illumination, though increasing the expense, enhances the beauty of the pool, for some of the fish are so colored that even in the daytime they are hard to find and at night even goldfish are not readily seen.

In the digging of the hole for the pool the walls are cut to flare out at the top instead of being vertical. A deep, cup-like pocket at one end is desirable; this will hold some nice, sticky mud, where frogs will hibernate when cold weather comes. Water lilies, cattails and other aquatic plants will grow here. Their transplanting, removal and control are simplified if they are potted before being placed in the mud.

After the digging is completed the walls and floor of the pit are lined with chicken wire, old springs, metal lath, quarter-inch or half-inch mesh or something similar, perhaps from a local dump. An old bed spring with fine coils is ideal. With the aid of shears and a bolt cutter this makes a fine base for the cement. Whatever the material used, it is made to cover the entire excavated surface.

The Proper Mixture

THE mixing and applying of the cement come next. One bag of a good-quality cement should suffice for a pool of the size mentioned. This is mixed thoroughly with three bags of screened, dry, sharp sand. Thoroughness in this operation is most important, for carelessness may result in brittle spots unable to resist freezing or prevent leakage. Water is added to the cement and sand mixture and the whole is stirred to mud-pie consistency. Into a pail and a half of this mixture is stirred three or four pailfuls of gravel or pebbles. The hole and metal are now thoroughly hosed, then coated with the pebble mixture to a thickness of about one and one-half to two inches.

After this has been put in place it is allowed to stand long enough to become slightly hard, but not dry. (Two hours should do.) Then the remainder of the cement, which is free of pebbles or gravel, is applied as a finish coat. This is done best with the hand, by a patting motion, until water comes to the surface.

If desired, the surface may be gone over lightly with a brush dipped in a thinner solution of cement. This will give the pool a more finished appearance, but care must be taken not to disturb the under layer of cement. The thickness of the wall must be at least two inches—more is better.

The rim of the pool can be raised a bit above the ground and decorated with sharp stones to protect the fish from cats. Be sure that no wire or metal parts are visible, lest they rust and later produce holes.

The next operation is hydration, a chemical action, upon which the cement depends for its strength. When I built my own pool, three by six feet, eight to thirty inches deep and no thicker than two inches at any point, I was informed that it would never survive one Winter. The person advising me said that he had constructed a pool over four inches thick and it had gone all to pieces the first time the water froze. In reply to questions he said that his walls were vertical and that they had hardened in "about twenty-four hours," but that no water had been put in the pool for days.

That is where he made his mistakes—vertical sides and too quick drying. The vertical walls collapsed with the first expansion of the freezing water; and the rapid drying of his mixture deprived them of any strength with which to resist frost. This is why the sides of a pool should always be built slanting out. Cement "sealers" are not necessary when a pool is properly constructed. My pool is in excellent condition in spite of the freezing of three Winters, one Winter providing a temperature of 14 degrees below zero and imprisoning my fish in solid ice.

Drying With Care

PROPER hydration is accomplished as follows: After the final brushing, over at least two inches of tight, well-packed cement, the surface is allowed to stand a few hours to "set." When the cement is just hard enough to hold water safely, but too soft to resist water poured on it from a height of six inches, the pool may be filled with water. This may be done with a pail, if care is taken not to injure the cement by always emptying it in the bottom; but a hose nozzle placed in the lowest part, with a brick on it, and the water running very slowly, is the safest and best method.

When the pool is full the hose is removed and the water allowed to stay in for two or three weeks. The water is then changed by placing the hose in the bottom again and applying a fast stream, thus removing the dirt and loose cement accumulation. The pool is not emptied, because the process of hydration is still going on, and as the pool ages it hardens. Now the mud can be put in the deep pocket, and the desired plants set therein. The plants and fish will keep the water from stagnating and the pool need never be cleaned except to remove leaves or rubbish.

A pool of this type will support the life of any fresh-water fish as well as goldfish. Frogs add greatly to the interest. They are valuable to have in any garden, since they eat caterpillars, bees, wasps, grasshoppers, borers and all sorts of creeping things; but they will not remain in a garden that is without a pool.

To keep cats away from the fish, it is well to cover the entire pool, after the Summer is past, with a fine screen. This will also catch the white bread that well-meaning neighbors may be feeding in Winter to the sparrows, who sometimes drop it as they fly. This bread sours in the water, produces gases and sometimes kills the fish.

Keep Driveways Clear

THERE are now liquid killers on the market to prevent grass or weeds growing in driveways. Gasoline will also do the trick. Care must be exercised to keep these materials away from wanted grass, flowers or shrubbery, as they destroy all growth. Another suitable material for driveways is common salt, the cheaper and coarser the better. Not only will a liberal application of this—about one or two handfuls to the square foot—destroy grass, weeds, poison ivy, etc., but it will also bind gravel and soil together into an even surface, keep down dust and repel frost.

Saanichton Experimental Station Notes

MORE than fifty varieties of sweet and sour cherries have been tested in the Station orchard. A variety known as Fruheste der Mark is the earliest sweet cherry of all the varieties tested, but it is one possessing little quality. The original tree was received direct from a French nurseryman and was removed a few years ago on acount of poor quality. Early Rivers is another very early variety with ripe cherries on May 23 this season. This tree bears well, is strong and vigorous but the fruit lacks the quality looked for. Early Rivers also ripens its fruit very unevenly and several pickings are required. Birds make it difficult to harvest any fruit as they work over the fruit before it is ready to market. On account of poor quality and due to the fact that these early cherries are on the market at the same time as strawberries, they have little market value.

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The season is at hand when cuttings of most of the French lilacs may be taken with a good chance for sucessful rooting. For several seasons various commercial rooting substances have been used in the rooting of many kinds of plant cuttings including lilacs and camellias. In most seasons the new growth on lilacs will be at the right stage for greenwood cuttings by the first week in June and in camellias about the end of June. Good rooting can be obtained without the aid of so-called rooting hormones but in most cases some assistance is given through their use. Unit lots of ten cuttings have been used with various treatments with all cuttings rooting in some lots. With the method employed camellias are easily rooted in a cold-frame and in a sand medium. Standard simple and heel cuttings have both been satisfactory and leaf-bud cuttings of camellia taken in July, 1940, have rooted and are well established plants at this date.

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Orchard grass is one of the best grasses for hay or pasture. It thrives on almost any kind of soil provided it is not too wet. It is strongly resistant to drought and therefore well suited to Vancouver Island conditions. It is an early maturing grass and ready to cut before Timothy. When sown with other grasses only species maturing about the same time should be used, such as Perennial Rye grass, Meadow Fescue and Tall Oat grass. Orchard grass has a high feeding value provided that it is cut at the right time. The nutritive value is highest just before it comes into flower and it should be cut at this stage or a little earlier. It has the ability to "come back" quickly after cutting, furnishing an excellent pasture for horses and cattle.

Vancouver Island visitors to the Chilliwack Jersey Parish Show and the outing of the Agassiz Jersey Club on May 21 and 22 were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Aylard, of Sidney, and Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Thompson, of Saanichton. Mr. Aylard judged the classes at the parish show along with J. J. Grauer, of Eburne. Mrs. Aylard presented to the winning owners several of the fine silver cups which were awarded.

PICKING STRAWBERRIES IN SAANICH PLANTATIO..

Judged in the Strawberry Contest Sponsored by the South Saanich Farmers' Institute the Best Plantation in Saanich, the Five-Acre Field of P. Holloway Is Shown in This Picture by The Colonist Photographer. Not Only Is the Field a Model in the Technical Sense, But It Is One of the Most Attractive Because of Its Fine Situation and Setting Overlooking Other Rich Farmlands.

Humus Is Organic Part Of Soil and Vital To Production

"HUMUS" is one of those indefinables whose value gardeners recognise, but the exact make-up of which is likely to remain one of the minor mysteries.

Real humus is not a fertilizer, nor should it be reckoned on to do the work of a fertilizer. The agronomist would not classify it as a soil, but it may be termed a soil ingredient—an important one at that, for its absence affects both the ease and the results of cultivation.

Humus is the organic part of the soil, made up of partly decomposed organic matter of various sorts. It is blackish or dark brown and consequently if present in quantity darkens the color of the soil. Its positive reactions are far-reaching both to a light-colored, loose sandy soil and a hard, fine-textured clay one.

The dark humus adds body and substance as well as potential plant food to the thin sandy soil. It also increases its water-holding capacity. Added to a clay soil, humus is most beneficial in improving its texture, making it a lighter soil that will not bake so hard during dry weather and improving its friability and aeration at all times. In both types of soil the addition of humus means that soil will warm up and be ready for earlier working in the Spring. Most fertilizers react more quickly in a soil in which humus is evident.

The regular application of humus over a period of years to a far-from-ideal soil will build it into a friable loam. There is no stated season for its application, although most gardeners apply it in Spring, when digging is the order of the season. It must be incorporated into the soil.

This blackish humus is usually composed largely of vegetable matter or leaf mold, although other ingredients are organic manure, leaves, peat moss and herbaceous plant clippings. Humus, in addition to being a technical term capable of definition, is also a commercial product which, when purchased in the manner of fertilizers or lime, should come up to its specifications if the purchaser is to get the full worth of his money.

Soil Should Be Warm Before Corn Is Sown

HYBRID sweet corn is being extensively planted, following the lead of hybrid field corn, which has increased the yield of farms. Home gardeners may depend upon an increased yield, if they sow hybrid sweet corn, and some varieties have been produced which are among the earliest, and at least rival in delicious flavor the old favorite, Golden Bantam.

There is one point about the hybrid strains, however, which should be considered. All plants of a given strain tend to mature within a very brief period. This is fine for the market grower, but home gardeners may prefer a longer period of harvest from a single planting.

But whether hybrid or open pollenated varieties are planted, every garden which has the space should grow sweet corn because only the home gardener can enjoy this first rank delicacy at its supreme best.

Sweet corn is best only when eaten immediately after harvesting, because the quality and flavor deteriorate rapidly after the ears are pulled from the plants. The higher the temperature, the greater the deterioration and the loss in flavor will usually be at least forty per cent in corn which is obtained in the market.

A patch of six rows, each fifteen feet long, need not occupy more than fifteen square feet. In normal seasons, planted to the pedigreed strains, it should yield 120 to 180 ears.

In both white and yellow-kerneled sorts, there are early, late and mid-season varieties. The earliest will have ears ready for table in seventy days, while the larger, later varieties require ninety to one hundred days. The ears are ready for pulling when the silk has turned black.

Rich and Moderately Moist

NOTHING is gained by planting corn before both soil and weather have become thoroughly warm—warm weather, rich soil, and moderate moisture are best for corn. The seed is quite likely to rot in cold soil. The seedling plants are very delicate, and cold weather checks their development, so that often later plantings do better than early ones.

Seeds may be planted either in rows or hills. It is better to enrich poor soil in hills, dropping five or six seeds per hill, spaced three feet apart each way. If planted in rows, they should be spaced two and one-half to four feet apart, depending upon the height of the variety, dropping the seeds at the rate of five or six to the foot, and covering them about two inches deep. When the plants reach a height of about four or five inches, it is best to thin them to eight or twelve inches apart, and to keep them well hoed until the ears are set. It is considered better to plant corn in blocks of several short rows, side by side, rather than in one long row. The pollen does not ferilize the ears well when planted in single rows.

A balanced plant food should be applied at the rate of four pounds to 100 square feet.

Sweet corn is reasonably drought resistant so long as it is cultivated frequently.

Phosphate Piracy of The Isle of Nauru

By R. LESLIE EMSLIE

THE German sea raiders who recently shelled the island of Nauru doubtless derived much satisfaction from the devastation wrought, for prior to the war of 1914-18 it was a German possession and has since been under the joint mandate of Great Britain, Australia and New Zealand. The unique value of this South Pacific island is represented by its immense phosphate deposits which lie among its coral pinnacles. It is a real treasure island for Australia and New Zealand, being at present their exclusive source of this most important fertilizer which has enriched their soils during the past twenty years and is now recognized as indispensable to the maintenance of the pasture lands and output of dairy produce in those countries.

The acquisition of Nauru by Britain occurred at a time when the "Anzacs" were just beginning to discover that phosphate was the remedy for the depletion of their soils and the consequent decrease in their productive capacity. With superphosphate, prepared from the rich raw material of the Nauru deposits, the soils were rejuvenated, and production reached a new high peak. At enormous cost the most modern equipment and facilities for mining and loading the phosphate expeditiously were installed among the coral reefs of Nauru, these being completed in 1930.

By means of a huge cantilever with two steel truss arms of 200 feet in length, a vessel lying outside the reef could be loaded with 10,000 tons of phosphate in a day, the material pouring into the hold at the rate of 1,000 tons an hour. The full extent of the damage done by the Nazi raiders has not been ascertained, but the cantilever proved an irresistible target, and the buildings, electric railways and belt conveyors were not spared by the ruthless attackers. The result is a serious blow to the farmers of the Antipodes, who realize more than ever before the importance of their phosphate supply.

Annuals or Perennials Is Subject of Debate

WHICH flowers are easier to grow, annuals or perennials? This subject will be the signal for debate among gardening beginners, but seldom among those experienced in gardening.

"Perennials," the amateur reasons, "do not have to be started every year, while annuals must be grown from seed each season; therefore perennials are easier."

But experience teaches that perennials need care, otherwise they deteriorate and die out. Many annuals, on the other hand, self-seed and come up again as dependably as the perennials.

The fact is there is little to choose between them on the score of work. Perennials supply the early flowers, from the first thaw-out until mid-June; and because they grow several years, they will usually grow larger than annuals, and furnish the dominant flowers of the garden border.

But annuals have been marvelously improved by plant breeding. Their progress has been furthered by the very fact that some call a handicap—they complete a full generation in a single year, and thus plant breeders do not have to wait several years to see whether an attempted improvement has been achieved. The breeders work fast compared with the perennials, where in some cases three years are required to complete a generation.

Improved annuals will serve any decorative porpose in the picturesque garden. By selecting them of various heights and colors, a border may be planted entirely of annuals, which will vie in beauty with anything perennials can offer. It has the added advantage of a much longer season of bloom.

An annual border will begin flowering in May, from plants started indoors; in late June from seed sown outdoors. And from that time on a continuous display of color can be maintained. It is only necessary to keep faded flowers cut and new ones will come, often increasing in size and beauty until killing frosts arrive.

For the new home, or the rented home, annuals offer a quick and economical garden. Their culture is so simple anyone can succeed at it, provided he is willing to spend two hours in reading directions, and planning his effects.

Transplanting Success Depends Upon Care

SUCCESS with transplanting can be assured by watering thoroughly after plant, shrub or tree is moved. Of next importance will be stimulant.

Moving a plant is something like an operation for a human being, and the larger the specimen the more necessary the attention. With shrubbery and trees often main roots are cut and the shock is severe. Half a pail of water after setting out is not too much for such big things, and the watering should be repeated two or three times a week, if a quick start is wanted.

With ordinary annuals and perennials liberal watering is also advisable and shelter from hot sun for the first few days. Some pick-up in the way of quickly available commercial fertilizer will help at this time, merely a pinch for small things like tomato plants or asters, and perhaps up to a couple of handfuls for shrubs and trees.

Care should be taken in the use of any chemical fertilizer that it does not actually touch roots or foliage. In the dry state it is liable to burn. Experts usually play safe and dissolve the fertilizer in water before applying.

Beekeepers Must Check American Foul Brood If Disease Appears

BEES, like all other living creatures, are subject to diseases, but fortunately those affecting bees do not attack either animal or man. They do, however, create a serious problem for the beekeeper, says C. B. Gooderham, Dominion Apiarist, Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa. Bee diseases are divided into two groups, those affecting adult bees and those affecting the brood. There are no serious adult bee diseases in Canada, but an occasional colony may be found suffering from paralysis, but such colonies seldom die outright, nor does the disease appear to spread to other colonies. Changing the queen of the colony usually effects a cure. Dysentery, so common among bees during the Spring, is not a disease but the result of long confinement to the hives. The first good flights in Spring relieve the condition. The brood diseases are more serious, although European foul brood and Sacbrood may easily be kept under control by good beekeeping practice. American foul brood, however, is feared by all beekeepers, for once a colony becomes infected it is doomed and until destroyed is a menace to all other colonies within flying distance of it.

Although the Department of Agriculture of each province does its utmost to help the beekeepers control American foul brood, it is imperative that each beekeeper co-operates by learning the symptoms of this disease and act as his own inspector. To distinguish disease one must first know the appearance of healthy brood. Uncapped larvae, when healthy, are pearly white in color and lie, curled up, at the base of the cell, while the cappings over sealed brood are slightly convex and of the same color as the surrounding comb. Discolored larvae, dark colored, sunken or perforated cappings must be regarded with suspicion. Brood dead of American foul brood turns dark brown in color and sinks to the lower wall of the cell and is usually accompanied by a disagreeable odor. If a splinter of wood is inserted into the dead larva and then slowly withdrawn, part of the mass will adhere to the splinter and draw out in fine threads. If one is at all doubtful as to the disease present, a small sample should be sent to the provincial apiarist or to the Bee Division, Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa, for diagnosis. This service is free. As apiary inspection and disease control is under the jurisdiction of the provincial department every beekeeper is advised to write the department for a copy of the act covering this work.

Backgrounds and Hedges That Grow From Seed

IN the grounds of new houses or rented places where screen and background planting is desired quickly and at small expense, there are annual plants which can produce both.

Largest of all is the castor bean. From one small bean can be grown a beautiful plant eight feet tall and as much in diameter. The leaves are large, and of a bronze or maroon tone. The Zanzibar strain will produce plants twelve feet tall, in suitable locations with plenty of water and rich soil.

Great bushes six feet tall are grown by the Tithonia, sometimes called the Golden Flower of the Incas, and this is a flowering plant, bearing two-inch orange flowers resembling a single zinnia. The flowers are not often numerous, and the plant is chiefly valuable for a screen or background.

The fine-leaved fire plant Kochia tricophylla makes a miniature tree of bright yellow-green leaves which in late Summer turn to crimson. It is even handsomer in its green than in its red form and can be pruned to make a low hedge. The coleus, the old-fashioned plant our grandmothers delighted to grow in the house, can be raised from seed easily in a variety of brilliant coloring.

Variegated Maize

THE variegated maize or corn is a striking plant with leaves striped in green, white and pink as an accent plant.

But aside from the plants of brilliantly colored foliage, which some gardeners do not particularly like, there is the infinite variety of greens, blue-greens, grey-greens and yellow-greens to consider. The stocks and California poppies have grey-green foliage which is a restful foil for their brilliant flowers. The nasturtiums have brilliant yellow-green leaves that add an important accent.

The spider plant, Cleome pungens, with its divided leaves and dark stems, is a desirable foliage plant even before its striking bloom is developed.

Heavy-leaved plants should be relieved by those of finer character in the border. Some of the ornamental grasses easily raised from seed are useful for this purpose and are often seen associated with cannas, castor beans or the elephant-ear caladium.

The ornamental grasses, both annual and perennial, give excellent decorative effects. The pennisetums, pampas grass (erianthus) and eulalia with green and white leaves are all attractive.

Chervil is a pot herb you encounter in cook books but seldom see. It is allied to parsley in flavor, but liked better by many cooks. Plant a packet and get a new flavor in soups and stews.

A Page for CHILDREN

The Festival of Flowers

BECKY and Teddy were twins who lived in the great house near the edge of the town. Story books sometimes say that when a boy or girl happen to be very rich and live in a lovely house and a great big, beautiful park-like yard, then they must be very hateful and cross and selfish, and everybody must dislike them very much. That certainly wasn't true about Teddy and Becky. Perhaps the difference was because the twins always walked to school like everybody else; and they wore exactly the same sort of clothes and had about the same spending money. The only difference anybody could notice was about their yard—and even that was a nice difference, for the twins seemed so anxious to make the other boys and girls understand that the wonderful yard with its terraces and gardens and pool belonged to all the boys and girls as well as to Teddy and Becky. And that certainly was pleasant.

Whenever there was to be an entertainment Becky's mother would say to the teacher, Miss Hines, can't you have it at our place?" And Teddy's father, the minute he heard of any plans would say, "You all come over here and I'll have balloons and candy for everybody." You can see what nice neighbors such folks would be!

So nobody was surprised when the folks in school began talking about the war victims that things turned out just as they really did.

It started one Monday morning. In assembly the principal told the boys and girls about the many, many boys and girls in some other countries who had neither food, clothing nor shelter. "Have you ever been hungry?" he asked in the middle of his talk.

"I have!" shouted Teddy. "I'm nearly starved every afternoon after school!"

"And what do you about it?" asked the principal.

"I hunt around in the pantry and get something good to eat," said Teddy, frankly, there's nothing better to do!"

"To be sure," approved the principal, "but what would you do if there wasn't anything in the pantry?"

Teddy stared. "There's always something in the pantry," he explained, "that's what a pantry is for."

"Yes," admitted the principal, "but in what pantries are for. But suppose your pantry had nothing in it—not a single bite of anything. And suppose there was no grocery store nearby, no store of any sort where you could buy anything to eat. And suppose your father had no money—not even a penny in the bank and you had not had a bite to eat for some time. What would you do then?"

Teddy thought hard and then said firmly, "I think somebody ought to do something about it and do it quickly."

"That is exactly what I think, too," said the principal, and he was much pleased with Teddy's wise answer. "These boys and girls in many lands are just so very hungry that I am sure we want to do something about it. The question is what shall we do?"

"Let's have a festival," suggested Hilda, of the sixth grade, "people like festivals, and they will pay to get in and then we can send the money to the poor children who are hungry!"

"Yes," added Becky, "only let's not ask them to pay just so much, like fifty cents or twenty-five cents, because I know they will want to pay more. Let's have it a festival and everybody bring as much as they possibly can and then we'll all have a beautiful time."

"Of course mother'll want you to have it in our yard," added Teddy.

So starting at that minute, the plans were made. It was decided to have a flower festival and have each class in the school represent some favorite flower—buttercups, sweet Williams, violets, May apple blossoms and all the lovely flowers that were then bursting into bloom in the woods around the town. All the costumes were to be of paper so that nobody would spend a bit of money that ought to go in food for the children far away. And if anybody had paper at home they were to use that instead of buying new so as not to waste a penny, not a single penny.

If you have ever helped get up a festival you know what fun those boys and girls had that week. It was decided to have the party the coming Saturday and get the money as soon as possible; if folks are hungry they don't want to wait a week or two for a meal any more than we like to wait and wait for dinner when we are about starved after school. Teddy had a tiny printing press and he made simple invitations on green paper. Each child in school had ten invitations to give out and Teddy promised to print more if that wasn't enough. The invitation said:

"Come to the Festival of Flowers at Open House on the afternoon of Saturday next. Bring all your money and be ready to give it away. No charge for the festival."

"We want every single person in the town to have an invitation," said Teddy, "so don't give 'em just to your cousins and aunts—give 'em to everybody!"

Then the whole school began watching the weather reports. The weather man must have been a friend of the hungry little folks across the ocean, for Saturday dawned clear and bright and sunny—exactly the ideal sort of day for a festival. All the school children were up betimes for there were many things to be done and a thousand and one little things to be attended to at the last minute. Making paper costumes for every child in the school was found to be too big a job for one week's time so by Wednesday it had been decided that instead of having everybody dress up and go to an awful lot of work, each class should make a flower banner and then all the girls wear ribbons in their hair with a flower and the boys wear a flower in their buttonholes. That was a much better plan.

The class in art design helped plan the banners and they were every bit as beautiful as the children had wished for. The honor of carrying the banners was given by vote of each class to the two children the class wished to have that honor. Teddy was to lead the pageant of flowers as it marched through the yard and garden and he was to play on a bugle just as the leader of a pageant ought to play.

But in spite of all the planning something went wrong. Nobody, even Teddy himself, remembered to hunt up a trumpet and just when the children were all ready to march, Teddy remembered, "Where was that trumpet they had talked of using?"

"I think there is one in your father's study," suggested Teddy's mother. "He had it in a play one time. It looks pretty but I don't know whether it makes a noise or not. Go find it, son, and it will have to do."

Teddy, with Becky at his heels, dashed off to the study. Yes, there was a trumpet—a pretty trumpet, just right for a pageant; but would it make a noise?

Becky and Teddy ran out to the terrace above the garden, Teddy puffed his cheeks out just like the old fox in the story and he blew and blew—and dear me! What a noise that stylish looking trumpet made! So much that some of the youngsters came running to see what the matter might be.

"Nothing's the matter," said Becky, "only the trumpet works and that's a good thing." Come on, now, Hilda and Ann, and let's hurry back to the others." Taking Hilda by the hand to make sure she came with them, Becky slipped her other hand in Teddy's arm and they hurried back to where the pageant was to begin.

And what do you suppose had happened in that little time Teddy and Becky were gone? More people from the village had come—and more and more and more till the great yard seemed to be overflowing with people and the principal of the school and his assistants, who with a committee of students had charge of the money, had to get a new and bigger basket to put the money in. There was just so much that the basket the girls and boys had meant to keep in it wouldn't hold it all. When the children saw that, they were happy you may be sure, and it was a pretty little pageant of flowers that, with Teddy trumpeting at the front, marched around the big lawn. Everybody had such a good time that they planned to have another pageant sometime soon. And as for the hungry girls and boys across the ocean—well, can't you guess how pleased they are going to be?

Too Much of a Good Thing

By SHON WALLAS

"WHY, Rickey," exclaimed the Wise Owl, "you're crying! What happened?" "I fell down," sobbed Rickey Rat. "I fell down hard!"

"That's too bad, Rickey, and I'm very sorry. But what were you doing when you fell down?"

"W-w-well," Rickey answered, blinking away a tear, "there was an elastic band hanging on the knob of a desk drawer at the Man's house, and I used to go there to swing. At first I didn't go very often, but lately I have been going every day and swinging for ever so long. It was lords of fun, because the elastic let me swing up and down as well as backward and forward. Then today it broke and I fell—and ooh! O-o-o-o-ohhhhhh, o-o-o-o-ohhhhhh, it hurts where I landed."

"It's too bad you fell, but everyone gets a tumble now and again," said the Wise Owl, kindly. "You see, Rickey, in this life one must not overdo anything; that is, you must not do too much of the nice things. Take cheese, for instance—and how you love cheese—if you eat too much cheese, you get a stomach ache, but if you eat just enough it is lovely and you look forward to eating it again sometime."

"You mean a glass of water is a drink but a million gallons is enough to drown in?" asked Rickey between sniffles, rubbing the tears away on the back of his paw.

"Something like that," laughed the Wise Owl," enough of anything is good for you, too much is always dangerous and brings you pain; not always where your pain is of course, Rickey."

In spite of his bruises, Rickey laughed. "You always make things better, Mr. Owl, where I landed hardly hurts at all now."

A Walk in the Woods

WHO does not love to take a walk through the woods to hunt for flowers, and hunting, gather them in a little basket to take them home and press them between blotters until they are dry enough to mount on pretty cards. Perhaps you are interested in trees and are a collector of leaves

It is always good fun when walking to see how many trees you can correctly name as you pass them. If you are tired of gathering leaves and flowers and are just ambling along why don't you play this game to make the homeward walk seem shorter.

One of the group is chosen as a leader for a space of a quarter of a mile or the length of the wood, or the distance to the lane or whatever space you decide upon. Throughout this distance he selects a bird, animal, tree, bloom, or shrub about whose name only the children are to question him, and the other children must keep their eyes open all the way so as to catch a clue to help them in their guessing. At the end of the decided distance the walkers stop and the game begins. Perhaps the leader saw a wild rabbit and the children ask these questions to discover what he observed.

Where does he live?

What color is it?

Can it sing?

And similar questions until the children have guessed just what the leader saw. The child who names the thing first is the next leader, and the fun begins again.

Any object seen on the walk may be chosen, the more difficult the object the greater the fun. This game will make you open your eyes and you will be surprised to see many things that you never observed before.

For the Little Cook

STUFFED TOMATOES

WASH six fine ripe tomatoes and take out the tough stem end.

Put in the ice box and chill.

An hour before meal time, scoop out the inside of the tomato. Dice up the pulp and mix with

1 diced onion,

1 diced pepper,

1 cupful mixed vegetables diced.

Then may be string or wax beans, carrots, peas or any other vegetable that is on hand—cucumber, too, is fine.

Mix with ½ cupful cooked salad dressing or

½ cupful French dressing.

With a spoon put the salad mixture back in the tomatoes. Put in the ice box till ready to serve.

Arrange a bed of lettuce or, if preferred, one good-sized, perfect leaf of lettuce and place the stuffed tomato in the centre of the leaf.

Serve at once with a salt or cheese wafer.

What are the hottest letters in the alphabet? K N (cayenne).

Ran Tersen's Scrapbook

Random Jottings From Here and There in the World of Nature

Bits About Whales

THE largest whale in the world is the blue or sulphur whale, found off the South American coast or in the Antarctic. These monstrous mammals average about one ton every foot in length, equaling in weight to twenty-five elephants or 150 oxen. The intestines from one of these beasts will average from 1,000 to 1,200 feet. A whale baby is twenty-seven feet long at birth and puts on weight at the rate of 200 pounds a day, reaching full growth within two years. A full-grown adult can swim at the rate of seventeen knots an hour and will often make a dive into the ocean depth of over one-half mile. A whale will often stay under the surface for three-quarters of an hour, and when it comes to the surface, the mammal does not spout water, but blows out the air which condenses in the cold atmosphere forming a mist. It would be impossible for a whale to live on the air that it would be crushed by its own tremendous weight.

Ant Fortress

THE barrasanta tree, a small South American shrub, is really a fortress garrisoned by ants. A ferocious species of ants invariably live within the hollow stems and will rush out furiously to attack any animal or person who dares to disturb the tree.

Long-Tongued Chameleon

EVERYONE has heard of the chameleon, a small reptile who has the ability to change its coloring at will. But color changes are not the most remarkable thing about this odd creature—the peculiar tongue deserves attention. A seven-inch chameleon will often capture insects twelve inches from his body without moving. His tongue is much longer than his small body, a lightning-like sticky-tipped weapon which is shot out of the mouth in the same way as a watermelon seed is shot from the fingers. Ring-shaped muscles contract suddenly on a slippery, spike-like bone and send the tongue forward with tremendous speed.

No Silver!

THERE is no silver in nickel-silver! It is simply an alloy of nickel, copper and zinc.

Small Oil Production

ACCORDING to Dr. Gustav Egloff, reporting in Science, "Since the foundation of the oil industry, the world's entire production of crude oil will barely fill a hole a cubic mile in size."

The Dead Sea

THE Dead Sea was so named because no form of life is to be found in its unusually dense salt waters. Fish, for instance, would find it difficult to even keep their bodies under the surface of the water because the dense water would cause their bodies to remain on the surface. In addition to this supporting effect, the waters of this inland sea are powerfully antiseptic—so strongly so that they would kill any form of life that tried to live therein. Chloride of lime and magnesium are among the salts to be found in the composition of the Dead Sea water.

Why is it right that B should come before C? Because we must be before we can see.

Salt Water

Why is it right that B should come before C? Because we must be before we can see.

What are the hottest letters in the alphabet? K N (cayenne).

The Kangaroo Rat

YES, the books say I'm a rat, but really I'm no more of a rat than I am a squirrel, and anyone can tell that from looking at me. Why, a rat has little, beady eyes, hardly bigger than a pinhead; long, straggling, ill-kept hair, and a naked, disgusting tail, that feels as cold and clammy as an earthworm; and the sly, seeking manners of a regular thief.

While my eyes are big and intelligent, my fur always neatly brushed, and my tail is covered with fur clear to the tip where there is a tuft of grey, while the coat I wear is reddish-tan, or fawn-colored as some call it, and then, I have a wide, white band from shoulder to tail, and a white stripe on each side of my tail, and people who know me say I'm a regular little beauty.

But the most un-rat-like thing about me, are my little fore legs, and great, long, strong, hind ones. That's where I got the kangaroo part of my name, though I'm no more kangaroo than I am a rat. So it seems that I am a terribly mismatched creature, any way you look at it. On the outside of each cheek there is a loose flap of skin, that makes a fine pocket or pouch, and that comes in very handy when there is something to be carried. I can cram these little pockets with seeds, just as you can cram your pockets with apples, and hop along home and not know that I had a load. Like the kangaroo, that I was named after, I carry my front feet curled up on my breast, and seldom let them touch the ground, and hop along on my hind legs

When I get in a hurry, or when an owl gets after me, believe me, I can do some jumping that would make you open your eyes, and wonder if I didn't have wings. As my hind legs are pretty much all bone and muscle, I can deliver a kick that would make a mule ashamed of itself, that is, when the difference in size is considered.

I do most of my fighting with my hind legs, for sometimes I have to fight you know, when some other kangaroo rat tries to take my dinner away. I just jump up in the air and come down on his back with both feet, giving a kick as I land, which generally sends him rolling over the sand, and glad to go home and behave himself.

The kind of rats you know about live in holes in the walls of buildings, and are always sneaking around to see what they can steal, and that's why people don't like them. But we live just as far away from people and houses as we can get, so no one can ever accuse us of stealing. No, we live so very far away from mankind, that no one ever sees us, except cowboys and hunters who sometimes have to camp for the night on the sandy deserts of Montana and New Mexico, for that is where we live.

We have learned to do without drinking, and that is a good thing as there is no water there, except a little, that we get the necessary moisture from the juices in the plants that we feed on, and when we take a drink, we just lick ourselves, so really we have no use for water.

We live in underground burrows that we dig ourselves, and not second-hand ones that some other animal once lived in. We have a front and a back door that open into the long, winding passageways that lead down to the living-room, which is furnished with nice, soft beds of grass, and where we store up seeds and leaves for days and nights when it is too cold or wet to go out.

In our digging operations all the loose sand has to be carried out, and this is done by packing it in our pouches and pilling it up outside. You might not believe it, but some of these heaps of dirt are two or three feet high, and twelve or fourteen feet across, and it doesn't seem possible that it could have been carried out, a little at a time, in our pouches, but it was. And as these mounds are scattered about over the country where we live, no one can say that we are lazy.

Our homes are all connected by well-kept trails so that we can visit around without getting our feet muddy when it rains, for it does rain sometimes, as dry as the country is. We stay indoors during the day, either sleeping, or nibbling the stored-up food, and only come out at night. On bright moonlight nights, and you know the moon seems bigger and brighter in the clear air of the desert than it does anywhere else, we hop about, hunt for seeds, visit around, play games and fight, and have the time of our lives generally. And if it were not for the old owls, and the hungry coyotes that are forever slinking in the shadow of sagebrush or cactus, we would not have a care in the world. But please do not think of us as rats, for we are not.

Out in the Fields

DID you ever make a daisy-chain? Not Then I will tell you how to make one. Gather only the daisies with long stems, and make a loop in the stem about an inch from the flower. Put the head of another daisy through the loop, and then tighten the loop so as to hold the daisy. You can make this chain as long as you want, and you can wear it either around your head, neck or waist.

Did you know that Daisy means "Day's Eye"? The daisy opens with the rising of the sun and shuts up, or goes to sleep, when the sun sets—hence its name.

One day little Dian Dennis had to stay in bed because she had a Spring cold. The poor child did not know how to make the time pass and she fretted herself into a headache. Mother wondered what she could give the child to do, when suddenly she saw the vase of daisies on the little table beside the bed.

"Come, dear, I'll show you how to make a family of Daisy-Children," said Mother, seating herself beside Dian.

She took a daisy out of the vase and clipped all the petals but two, about an eighth of an inch from the yellow centre. This is the little girl's cap, and these two long petals are the strings. Now we will make the little girl's face.

Mother spread a large paper over the bed so that Dian would not spot the covers with ink, and handing her a pen and ink said: "Make two eyes, a nose and a mouth."

Dian laughed aloud at the comical face, and for that day, at least, mother had no further trouble keeping her in bed.

When Dian was able to run out in the fields again her mother told her to pick dandelions.

"Bring them home to me and I will show you how to make a chain."

Dian fell a little sad to see her mother nip the flowers from the stems, but this chain was to be made of rings. One end of the dandelion stem is smaller than the other, and the stem is hollow. Put the smaller end of the stem into the larger and you will have a ring any size you please, just as Dian had. Now before making the next ring pass the stem through the first ring and then join it. A very pretty link-chain can be made.

Michelle Diane, five years old, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Robert, 2621 Richmond Avenue, is wearing her daddy's hat, who is a private in the Veterans' Home Guard of Canada, having been service in the Great War with the Artists' Rifles and East Surrey Regiment.

Old Whisper

Be careful, oh, be careful, child,
Old Whisper waits about,
To tell the naughty things you do—
He's sure to find you out!

His feet are never quiet; no.
He's going all the day,
And it is very likely he
Is never far away.

Be careful in your work and play,
He rides with eager eyes,
What'er you do—and whispers it
To everyone's surprise.

A Little Posey

Pretty little posey
Growing in the sun!
How you give your fragrance
Out to every one.

Rude the foot that trampled
On your slender head,
Gentle hands should lift you,
If you need, instead.

Pretty little posey,
Drinking in the shower,
As you grow so sweetly
In the sun-kissed bower.

Why is an inch like a toe? Because it is part of a foot.

What still remains when the letters are taken away?—The pillarbox.

Why is the letter D like a sailor? Because it follows the C (sea).

Great Britain and the Dominions Overseas

B.B.C. Listeners Hear War Talk In All Tongues

Whole Town in Quieter Part of Britain Devoted to Radio's Comings and Goings—Propaganda Specialists Sift Digest of Many Broadcasts Received by Linguists

LONDON (CP).—The battle of the airways, unspectacular but nonetheless vital to the outcome of the war, goes on ceaselessly in wartime Europe. From the Axis countries alone emanate daily more than 1,000,000 words of propaganda.

One of the biggest jobs of the British Broadcasting Corporation now is listening to this flow of words through the ether. From the mass is picked a daily digest of 50,000 words of items considered significant and which may provide material for Britain's specialists in the analysis of enemy propaganda.

Hidden away at a reception station somewhere in England, the B.B.C. Monitoring Service is on the job night and day. More than 100 men and women of a score of nationalities sit with headphones glued to their ears recording the broadcasts of forty countries in thirty languages, including Berber and Albanian. The "report" is recorded mechanically and double-checked for accuracy.

TO SUIT THE FIELD

Propaganda specialists sift the digest to reveal the inconsistencies of argument and supposed facts used in Axis propaganda. They are able to show—and the B.B.C. demonstrates nightly in its Listening Post broadcast to North America—that what the Nazis say to the Americans may be vastly different from what they say to Britain, to France, to the Arabs and to India.

The monitoring staff includes a former member of the Austrian diplomatic corps, a Russian zoologist, experts to politics and economics, a Finnish sea captain and a Russian prince. It is upon the work of these monitors that the many government departments depend for much of their knowledge of what is going on all over the world.

The B.B.C. has practically taken over a rural town in one of the most beautiful parts of England and this wartime community is filled with all kinds of people doing all kinds of jobs. There is a hut for the Middle Eastern service, another where Indians prepare broadcasts for that vast sub-continent. The monitors occupy a couple and the editorial staff of the monitoring service has one that resembles the city room of a newspaper.

In a nearby mansion are offices and studios. In one studio Spanish nationals may be broadcasting a play to their country. On one floor news letters will be in progress of preparation for Burma, the Malay States, Thai or Ceylon. A couple of miles away is another impressive house where programmes for Canada and the United States originate.

COSMOPOLITAN

Britons moving about the shaded paths of the town are a common sight. So are the Indians in their flowing robes. There are Egyptians, Arabs, Greeks, Italians. One will meet Canadians and Americans. A turbaned Moroccan officer of the Free French Army broadcasts news bulletins in an African dialect.

There have been smaller "invasions" in other parts of Britain. One of these took place at a seaside resort in the West Country, when the B.B.C. took over two hotels. The rooms of one were converted into offices and the other into a hostel for the use of artists and other B.B.C. employees.

Like the newspapermen covering the war on Britain's home front, B.B.C. observers have gone into the "front lines" to describe for listeners in quieter areas aerial battles over Dover. During one broadcast from Dover a recording unit was machine-gunned by a German fighter plane. The raider was brought down by anti-aircraft fire.

WIDELY DISPERSED

The B.B.C. staff has been dispersed widely so that enemy action cannot interrupt entirely its varied activities. Likely as not, a girls' college, given up for the duration, may shelter a unit. It may be in a London theatre, to all appearances deserted. It may be a camp hidden in some wooded country area.

On the bare stage of some theatre in which theatrical greats have played their parts, microphones may have been set up and a group of Canadian or Newfoundland soldiers may be taking part in a broadcast to North America. They play to an audience of empty seats and a few sleeping persons at the back of the auditorium — staff employees snatching some sleep before resuming work.

A significant change has been made in an old B.B.C. custom. Formerly the announcer of a news programme was anonymous. Now he gives his name before it is read. Wartime listeners at home must be able to recognize immediately the authentic voice of a British broadcaster—just in case.

Day and night, under almost incessant bombing, B.B.C. programmes have gone on the air without a halt in thirty-four languages, carrying to listeners abroad and at home Britain's position in the great conflict. Seventy-eight news bulletins with a total wordage of 250,000 are broadcast daily. Every day there are eighty-five hours of broadcasting time.

VOLUNTEER AS "GUINEA PIGS"

Conscientious Objectors May Be of Use in Fighting Disease

LONDON (BUP).—Conscientious objectors who refuse to fight are offering themselves as "guinea pigs" in an effort to find cures for illnesses that are afflicting British soldiers.

They are being infected with a skin disease at a secret laboratory run by Sheffield University Research Department. They are also being used for experiments to determine the amount of calcium required in bread.

About twenty men have offered themselves for experiments, some of them students, and they live in a secret headquarters in an isolated country house near Sheffield.

This was revealed at the Yorkshire Conscientious Objectors' Tribunal when Peter Desmond Saunders, aged twenty, of Dakholme Road, Broomhill, Sheffield, was registered on condition that be carried on with this work.

He told how the head of the research institute had got into touch with conscientious objectors who were willing to undergo the experiment.

The volunteers had worn army underclothing and had used army blankets to find out how the infection occurred.

The investigation has enabled medical science to go a step further in treating the disease, although no method of prevention has yet been discovered.

ENTIRELY ISOLATED

Mr. K. Mellanby, head of the research department, said that the work was being carried out on the direction of the Ministry of Health, with the help of some of the university staff. "We cannot disclose many details," he added, "but those who have volunteered have been infected and we are now awaiting developments. The volunteers had to be entirely isolated. They are somewhere in the country, and in between research they are working on food production plots.

"All the men are volunteers who believe that in this way they can be of good service to the nation. They will be.

"The work is still in its initial stages, and we cannot say at present what the results are likely to be, but we hope that they will be very beneficial."

GIRL IN CHARGE OF CRICKETERS

LONDON (BUP).—Six thousand cricketers throughout England are in charge for the duration of the war of Miss Joan Chamley, twenty-five years old, pretty and tactful girl from Wimbledon, London.

As secretary of the Club Cricket Conference, she has 300 clubs under her control and looks after the interests of every one of their players.

She is the first woman in cricket history to hold such an office, and among her many duties are arranging fixtures and appointing umpires—apart from editing the conference fifty-two-page handbook.

"But I will not do any selecting," says Miss Chamley.

Tasty Gifts for Canadian Soldiers

Sargts. C. F. Sauer and E. R. MacDonald, of Moncton, Fondle a Couple of Tasty Gifts From English Farm Folk to Canadian Gunners on a First Division Exercise. Judging by the Look on Their Faces, the Gift Is Really Going to Be Enjoyed by These Lads.

Has Amazing Escape From Blazing Plane Diving Through Space

Pilot Officer Owes His Life to Miracle—He Fell From Bomber in Flames With His Parachute Not Hooked On

MANCHESTER (BUP).—If proof is needed that the age of miracles is not past Pilot Officer Henry John Vollmer's amazing escape from a blazing R.A.F. bomber nose-diving to the ground at 500 miles an hour should provide it. Pilot Officer Vollmer, whose home is in Cheshire, was in the bomber flying over Germany with his fellow pilot, Dickie Taunton; Bell, the wireless operator, and Bracegirdle, rear-gunner and a New Zealander, when an anti-aircraft shell went right into a petrol tank.

Let Pilot Officer Vollmer tell the rest of the story. Here is what he says in a letter to his mother asking her to let Bell's parents in Ireland know how their son died.

"Bell reported on the phone that the starboard engine was on fire. I was in the nose of the aircraft and a piece of shrapnel flew right across the compartment, into one side and out of the other, about three inches under my nose.

BURNING LIKE A FURNACE

"The pilot gave the order to jump. I had to go about six feet towards the tail of the aircraft to reach my parachute pack and the escape hatch. I did this, reached the pack, and then felt the aircraft start to dive. When an aircraft dives everything inside is forced down towards the front. I was flung back into the nose with my parachute in my hand, but not hooked on to the harness. The machine probably reached 400 to 500 miles an hour in the dive, as the throttle had jammed open. It was burning like a furnace, and I dimly remember full of smoke.

"Of course, I was quietly preparing for the end, no panic, just sorry I would not be able to tell you about it. Next there was a devil of a bang and a sort of cracking. I thought we had hit. Actually the speed of the dive had torn a wing off, and this, combined with another petrol tank exploding, broke the window against which I was forced.

"Then I found myself hurtling through the air, holding on to my chute, which was still not hooked on.

"I made violent efforts to do this as I fell, but, realizing that I must be getting near the ground, decided to pull the rip cord and hold on to the pack with my right hand. I pulled. The 'chute opened and tore itself out of my hand, breaking two fingers. It was then that I really thought the end had arrived, but imagine my feeling when I was suddenly jerked up, and found that one hook in the harness had caught into the 'chute.

"All this happened within about one minute of being hit, and it was only about another minute before I landed. This means that my 'chute opened at about 500 feet, having started at 12,000 feet. I landed safely in a peat bog, and was picked up next morning. Bell's body was found in the machine next morning. Bracegirdle might have been underneath, but I never heard. I believe he had been hit in the air by a piece of the shell.

"It is a miracle that Taunton and myself got out. One can only say, as the Germans do, 'Theirs was a hero's death.' My escape ranks as about the luckiest in the camp. People do not realise always what it means when a machine does not come back.

DEPARTMENT IS CO-OPERATIVE

CALEDON EAST, Ont. (BUP).—The next time the fire-bell sounds in this village of some 400 citizens, all but the lame, the old and the blind will drop whatever they're doing and high-tail it to the fire-house.

The "chosen few" will don helmets, put raincoats over their business suits or overalls and hang on to a trim, now combination pumper hose and ladder engine as they roar out to the fire-scene.

They're the veterans and they've been given a thorough grounding on how to douse the most stubborn blaze. They have to be good. For in Caledon East competition is tough with every man a fireman and the rest of the townsmen hoping the day will come when they'll ride "our bright-red engine" to a fire.

Those not elected to man the fire-reel won't be spectators while their buddies fight the blaze.

Fire Chief Bill Cannon has seen to it that they too received training and their job is to haul additional fire-extinguishers and other fire-fighting equipment which the engine can't carry.

Townspeople say proudly that they have a fire-fighting system second to none for a community its size. "And," they beam, "all this hasn't cost us a cent."

IDEA HAS SPREAD

Progressive citizens launched the co-operative fire-department idea a little over a year ago. The idea took hold, blossomed and spread and already three nearby towns have started a co-operative of their own.

Money for the scheme was put up by Trustee T. R. Evans, also fire insurance agent in Caledon East.

An ingenious system of water supply in various sections of the town was constructed, for the most part by public-conscious residents who either supplied materials or pitched in to do the actual building.

Thousands of gallons of water are now stored in underground cisterns, some fed by rain-water through roof-drains.

It's almost tragic to have to report that the town hasn't had even a grass fire since the system was inaugurated. The equipment, however, is tested frequently and every so often the alarm rings out in practice.

But even though they haven't had a fire recently—the town's only large blaze destroyed several homes and a stable twenty-five years ago—the co-op fire-fighters don't seem to mind.

Trustee Evans estimates the lay-out cost him $2,000. "But," he adds, "I'm a fire department booster."

Nazi Bombs Not Closing Dance Halls

LONDON (BUP).—The Germans, [illegible] London, are not going to close the dance halls.

The British Government has no intention of placing a ban on them or imposing a curfew at the moment, although such measures were recently suggested when bombs caused casualties at some London dance halls.

"Dancing is a valuable wartime sedative and the people who wanted to stop it are just crazy cranks," a manager of a chain of halls said.

"Dance halls are just as safe as churches, cinemas, railway stations and other places where large numbers of people gather—probably a good deal safer.

"Our halls have fire-watchers and roof-spotters, and local managers co-operate with the authorities in fire-drill rehearsals and in training the staffs to cope with an emergency."

SIGN OF CROSS NOT WIPED OUT

Remains Plain to See in Strip of Grass in London

LONDON (BUP).—On a strip of green grass in the heart of London there is today a Sign of the Cross—and the Nazi bombers put it there.

It is the Cross they could not destroy, as they destroyed the signs of Catholics in their own country; but they did their worst.

The plot of grass stretches from the rectory to the old church, and along its edges the daffodils grow. The church isn't famous—its preachers didn't get their names into the papers, and it saw no society weddings.

A GOOD TARGET

But for the Nazi airmen it was a good target—it was a church which played an important part in the lives of the people. They dropped their incendiaries, and the people down below looked up at "our church" as it began to burn, and ran to save what they could.

The bombs themselves were inaccessible, but they saved the eagle lectern, the plate, the altar front and some of the records of baptism, marriage, death.

Four men lifted the 300-year-old font, risked much to get it away safely, and a few minutes later saw beams crash down and smash it to pieces.

The bells rang their last peal as they fell into the furnace at the base of the tower. And then, the watchers looked and saw the Cross—a great wooden Cross which rose from the top of the tower.

Soon it was on fire, and as the fire ate through the base, the Cross swayed, then broke away, remained poised in the air for a moment while rolling clouds of smoke appeared to hold it in the air, then it toppled and plunged like a flaming sword onto the green lawn below.

And there it scorched its pattern in the grass, where the Sign of the Cross can still be seen by any who pass—or fly overhead.

FAMOUS PIPE IS LOST IN LONDON

LONDON (BUP).—Sir Walter Raleigh's pipe has been lost in an air raid on London.

It was the most famous pipe in history.

Sir Walter, pirate cavalier of Queen Elizabeth, amazed sixteenth century London crowds when he puffed tobacco smoke from a pipe. They had never seen a man smoke a pipe before, did not know about tobacco. Sir Walter brought back tobacco to England when he returned from one of his journeys across the Atlantic, and he smoked all his life afterwards.

His pipe was owned by Alfred Dunhill's pipe firm in the West End of London. The shop was bombed in a recent raid. Despite days of searching through raid salvage, no trace can be found of Sir Walter's pipe. Other famous pipes, including an old clay used by Sir Henry Irving, have also been lost.

Wrist Radio to Send Out SOS

LONDON (BUP).—A wristlet wireless broadcasting set to help rescuers to locate people trapped beneath wreckage is being tested by the Home Office in London.

Anyone wearing the instrument, which weighs six ounces and is three inches in diameter, can send out oscillations on a fixed wave length by slight pressure on a celluloid strip.

The oscillations can be picked up on an ordinary portable radio set, and rescuers equipped with a direction coil will be able to locate the trapped person.

The radio wrist watch has been devised by a lieutenant in the Polish army and Mr. I. Solar, an electrical engineer, of Dunfermline, Scotland.

TOMMIES HARDEN UP

Officers and non-commissioned officers of the British army are shown somewhere in England, in the most strenuous part of their "hardening" course. At the top a detail of men takes a swim in full equipment, their bathing caps being their steel helmets, and the chill hasn't been taken off the water, either. Below the men, with rifles strapped to their backs and in full kit, clamber from the water after their dip.

Supreme Bravery Shown by Many Women in Work

Many Prejudices Shown Against Conscription for War Service—Vast Majority Regard Present Women's Organizations With Respect as Being of Great Service to State

By GLANVILLE CAREW

LONDON (BUP).—There are about 45,000,000 people in this country of whom some 23,000,000 are women; no books of reference are at hand so those figures are only approximately correct. Anyhow, that is about the proportion. Quite a lot of our women are now to work for the State. For the first time in our history women are to be conscripted—that is the fact although the word, not the actuality, is unpopular. However, the first call-up for women—aged twenty for a start—has gone forth.

There are all sorts of opinions current about the enlistment (shall we call it?) of women. Some of the opinions might be better described as prejudices.

Many people, numerous in themselves but negligible in number when set against those who think otherwise, consider that the various women's service organizations are quite futile. Against the view the vast majority regard these organizations with respect as being very efficient and of great service to the state.

MANY SERVICES

Most of the scores of thousands of women and girls who have already voluntarily joined up with various services are doing clerical work and similar work (to say nothing of the nursing services) in relatively—and only relatively—safe conditions so that many men may be released for more active and suitable service. Such organizations as the "A.T.S." (Auxiliary Territorial Service), the "W.A.A.F." (Women's Auxiliary Air Force), and the "W.R.N.S." (Women's Royal Naval Service) are outstanding examples of such services — and there are many others.

But these organizations, or occupations, of women are by no means all "safe" services. The records of awards of honors by the King provide many instances to prove the contrary, examples of supreme bravery on part of women and girls who have stuck to their posts and their duty in face of fire and bombing and God knows what other dangers which might appal even the most courageous of men are becoming matters of every day. Apart from these instances there is an illustration of fine, feminine, cold courage in the fact that women and girls of good mathematical education (those holding degrees in science, for instance) are being trained to operate the "predictors"—instruments which are used by anti-aircraft gun batteries to estimate in advance the height and speed and course of enemy planes, that involves their sharing to the full the dangers of the men.

INEVITABLE PROBLEMS

Now that there is to be compulsory use of women's work, there will inevitably be problems for the authorities to tackle, and much tact and understanding in handling them will have to be shown. In fact it has been shown already in the case of women who have volunteered. It is said that when they attend for medical examinations they are most sympathetically and courteously treated. The waiting rooms and examining rooms are made cheerful and even flowers and floor rugs appear. If that is true it is very difficult from the discomfort which some of their brothers describe in their own cases.

One difficulty which the women—and especially the parents of young girls—are raising, centres round the question of billeting. They want to know under what social conditions they or their daughters will have to live. Bear in mind that women and girls will have to go wherever they are sent and do the work the authorities think they are best suited for. Therefore it may happen that many of them will, in the hard necessities of war conditions perforce have to be transferred from non-industrial parts of the country to the industrial counties—that is to say from pleasant to not-so-pleasant parts of the country. And, with every desire to minimise this, and all the good will in the world, on the part of the authorities—which to do them justice they are disposed to show—some degree of hardship, or at least, great inconvenience and splitting up of families seems, here and there, to be unavoidable. And these things, in the case of women, seem to loom much larger than in the case of men.

A STRONG OBJECTION

Here is another point. In one town, a number of women and girls did not respond promptly. When they were questioned about it they protested that they strongly objected to the prospect of serving under the orders of other women, an attitude of mind which seems to be fundamental in feminine human nature. It is said that the authorities (and this may arise from official guile or because they have a knowledge of female psychology) are disposed to give weight to the objection.

In writing the foregoing I have in mind the women and girls who are very willingly and cheerfully going to work for their country—and they constitute the majority — the huge majority—of the women of this country.

But—there remains a class who will not only receive no sort of sympathy from other women (far from it!) and but little, if any, from men, except those of their own type, and it is generally hoped and believed that the authorities will give them no consideration or latitude whatever, but apply the law to the letter as and when they come within its grasp.

It is notorious, and war conditions have emphasized the fact, that there is in this country a far too large class of women and girls who toil not, neither do they spin, yet are usually arrayed as expensively as Solomon in all his glory ever was. Some of them have lots of money, some of them have less, some have no visible means of subsistence, yet they all fare sumptuously at all times, and if some of them are believed— or suspected (however wrongly by other women) to be at least amateurs of the oldest profession in the world they have only themselves to thank. They live at expensive hotels and they are interested in nothing but themselves and in having a good time, usually at the expense of some infatuated male. They are not even "interested" in the war and they say so. It "bores" them.

FEMININE DRONES

These women (and their apparently epicene menfolk) out all past the age at which they could do some sort of duty, such as fire watching at the very least, (as do many other people) do absolutely nothing but eat and play and sleep. They infest seaside resorts and spas in certain safe and non-prohibited areas — the former in western counties in particular. In one of such towns where these people flock probably because of its equable climate, its general resemblance to Monte Carlo, and, still more probably, its comparative safety, an appeal was made recently to have these drones to take their turns at fire-watching in this town of their adoption. Out of hundreds living luxuriously at hotels a miserable dribble of about a score responded. They had many excuses, but one woman protested that she could not undertake such duty because her insurance company required that in case of emergency she must personally guard her jewels.

If women of the type in question are not duly and promptly scooped up in the official net with their sisters, they can look out for trouble—and the sisters will see to that.

P.S.—One result of the call-up of women is likely to be that certain ladies of a doubtful thirty, of the type who profess to be twenty-two, will soon be looking for convincing explanations to their women friends why they are not called up with the groups of their alleged age!

No Dictator For Fashion Rules Girls

SOMEWHERE IN ENGLAND (BUP).—The management of a defence factory "somewhere in England" tried to make the girl employees wear hats provided by the firm while at work.

One day a girl, defying the fashion "dictators," turned up at work wearing a turban, and was instantly dismissed.

The other girls acted quickly, and next day all came to work wearing turbans, and stopped work.

The dismissed girl was quickly reinstated, and the girls can now wear what they like.